# DISCOVERER '68

Michael Sherman.

Mike-
It's a real good
feel like I had a lot
of fun with you in choir +
everything. Good luck in your
future + keep all contacts
personal + by all means
Love

MIKE—
I'LL KEEP
THIS SHORT.
— FRED

Mike

to a party decision
junior. Good luck in
the future especialy in
Beatrice next year you will
need it there the girls are
all stuck up snobs and
you know what I mean
have fun this summer
see you next Sad Bless

Dennis

Well, Mike, it's the end of another year and time for all of us seniors to leave. I'm really going to miss the cool juniors like you. Rem. all the fun we had in Choir & putting "How to Succeed"

Take care &

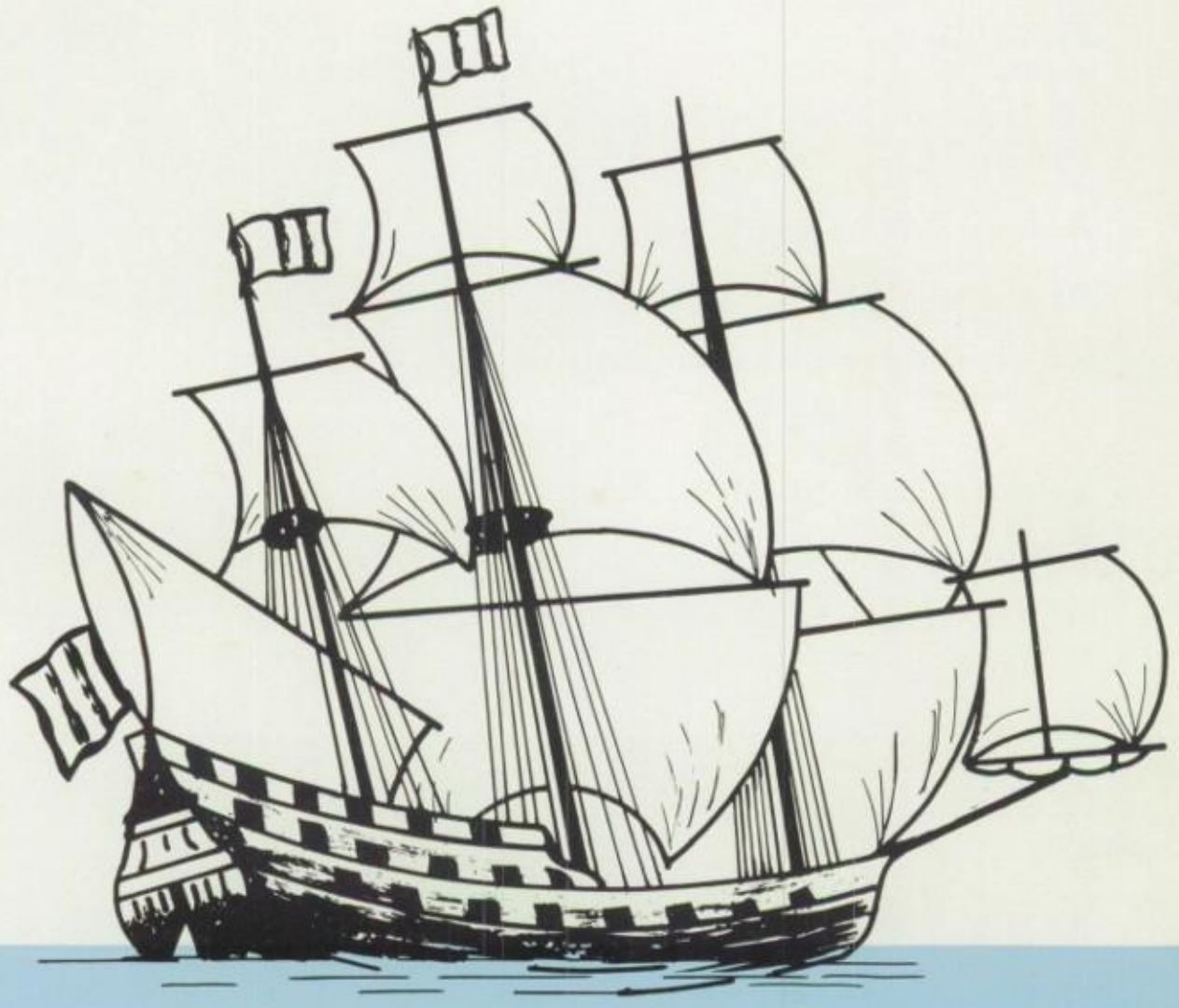
God bless,

Lee

Mike,
I have fun in Beatrice, and don't forget the fun we had in Mr. Walsh's class.
Good Luck,
Lemonhead

Mike -
I believe I'm the
first person to write in an
annual in red! Your next! Good luck
next year & always rem. the great times
we had in choir and rehersals.
Good luck
Lynda

Hi Zero,
Rem. our stud choir
those wild, ~~gross~~, interesting
rehearsals. We had a blast
doing the play! Lick it to them
next year!
Brian



# DISCOVERER '68

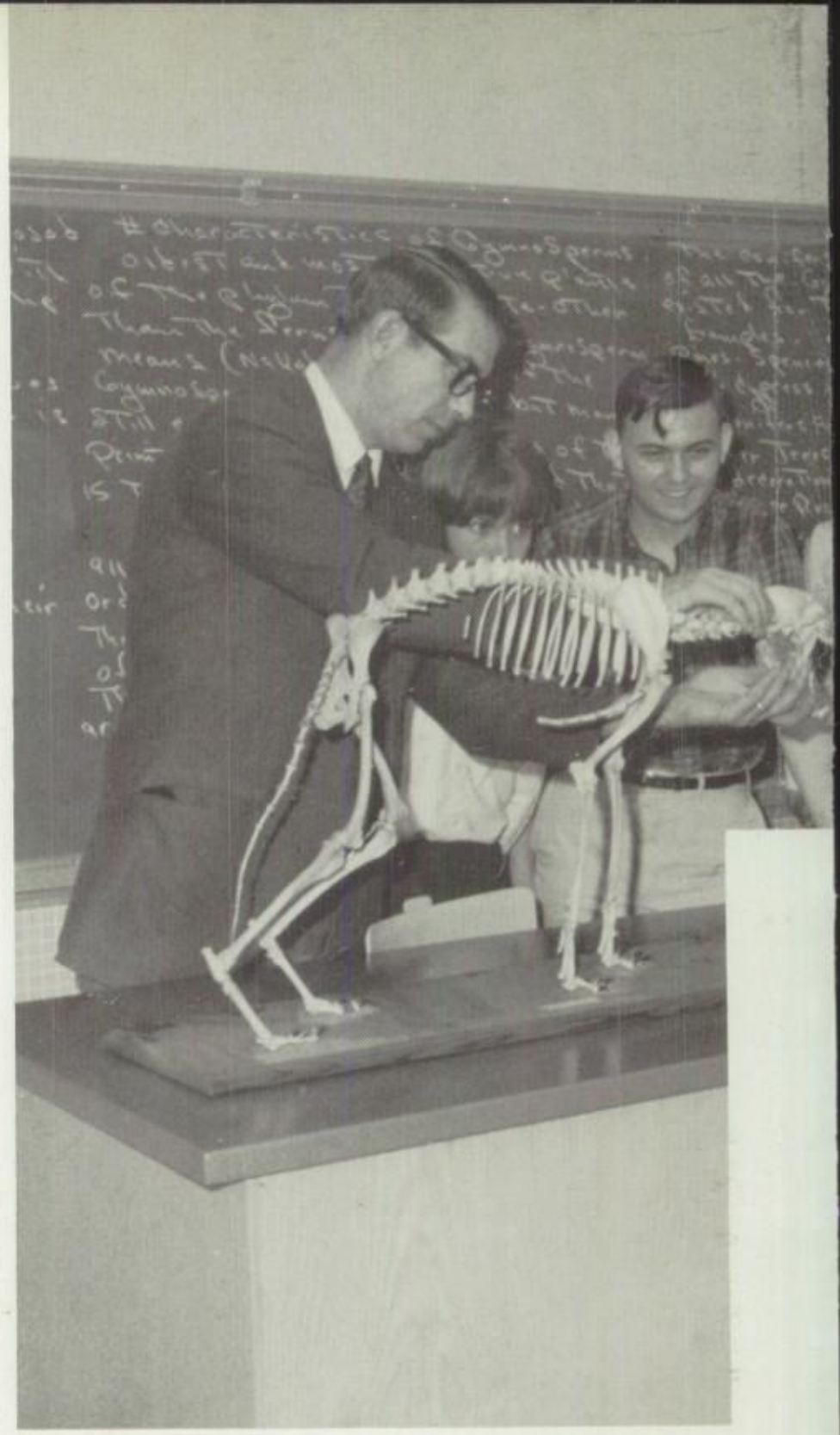
A pencil seems slow
To capture dreams and
Fleeting ideas of students.

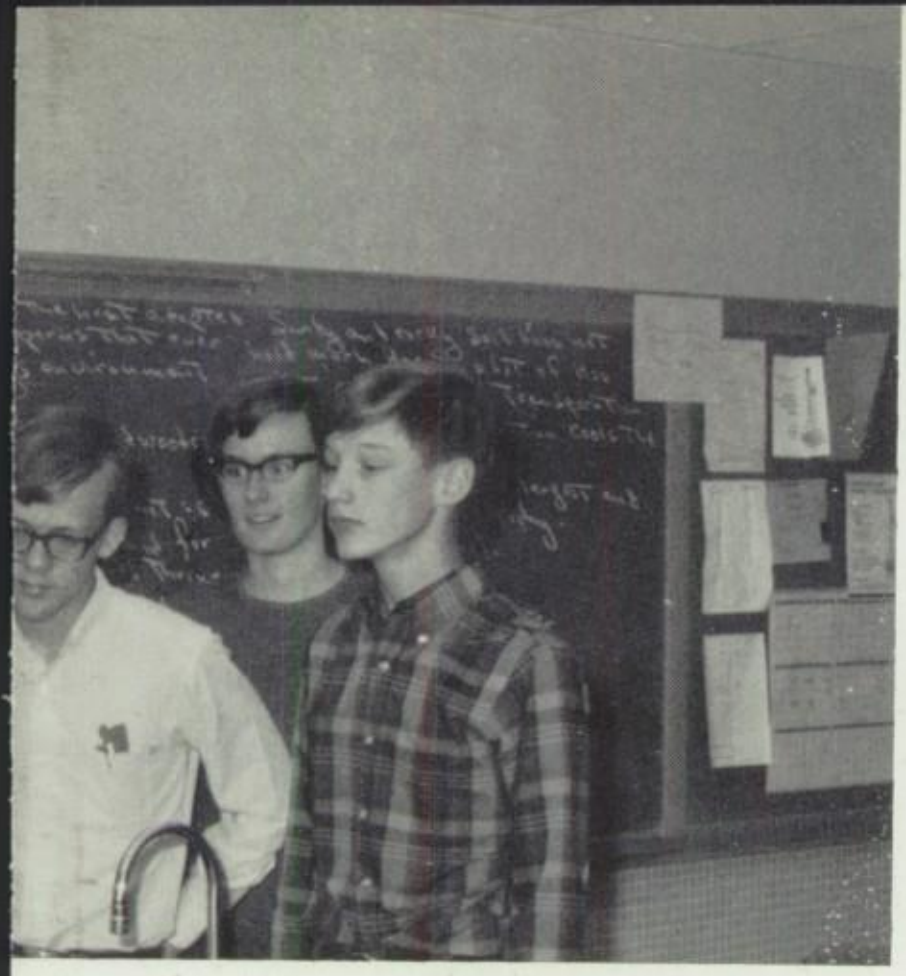
The many things to
Remember seem so difficult.
Ideas to build and learn.

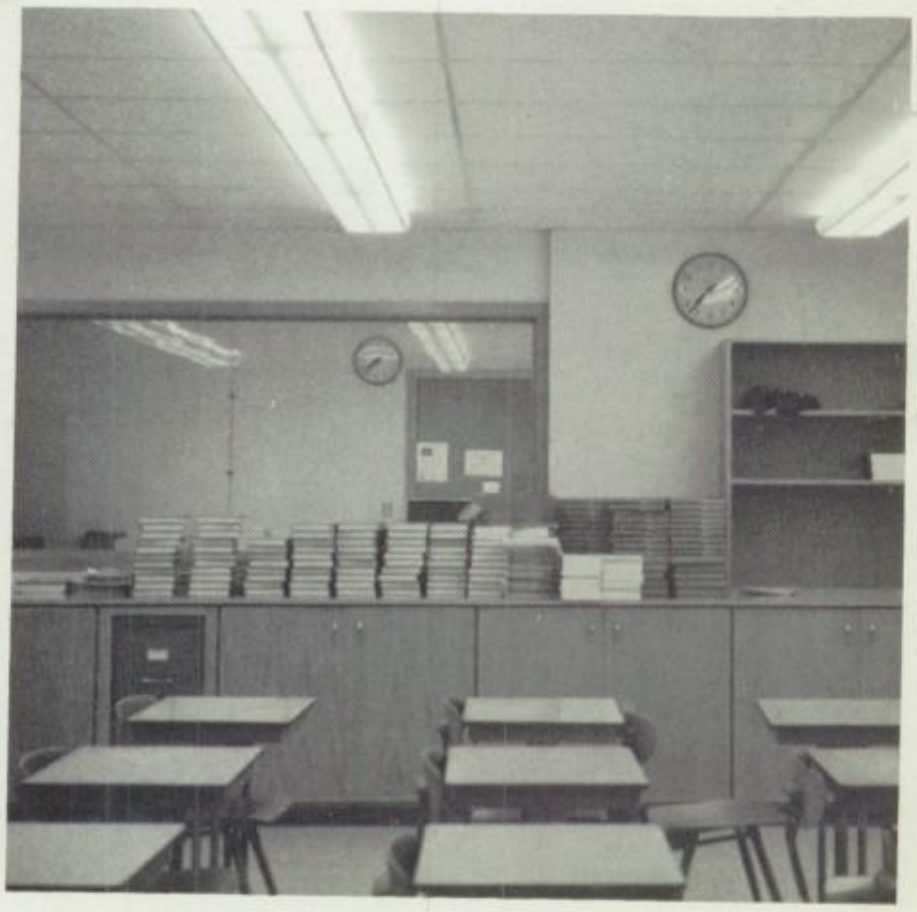
Things to talk about
Never time enough
It seems.

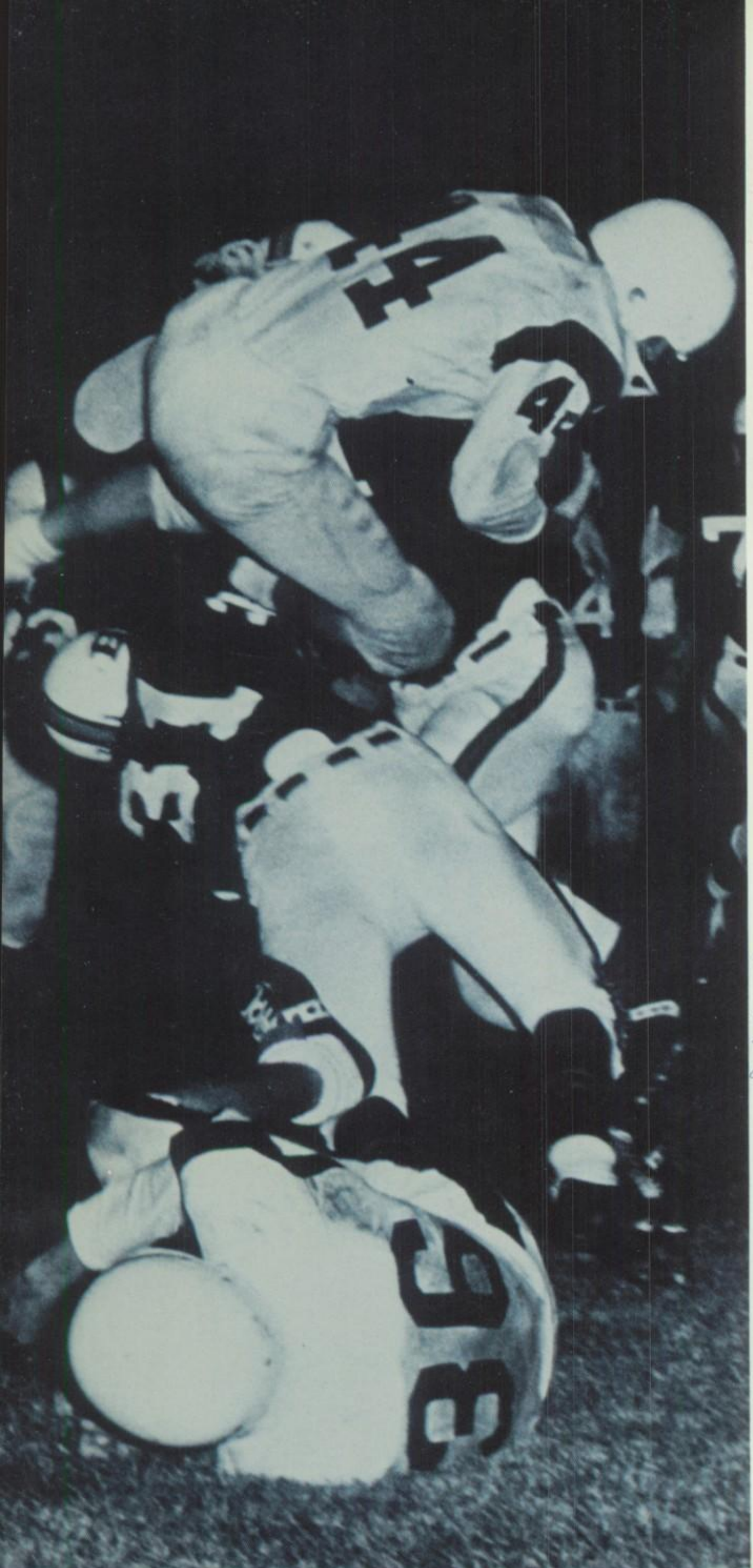
When the students
Are gone the teachers
And lonely rooms have
Their chance to remember.

The dreams must still
Go on.



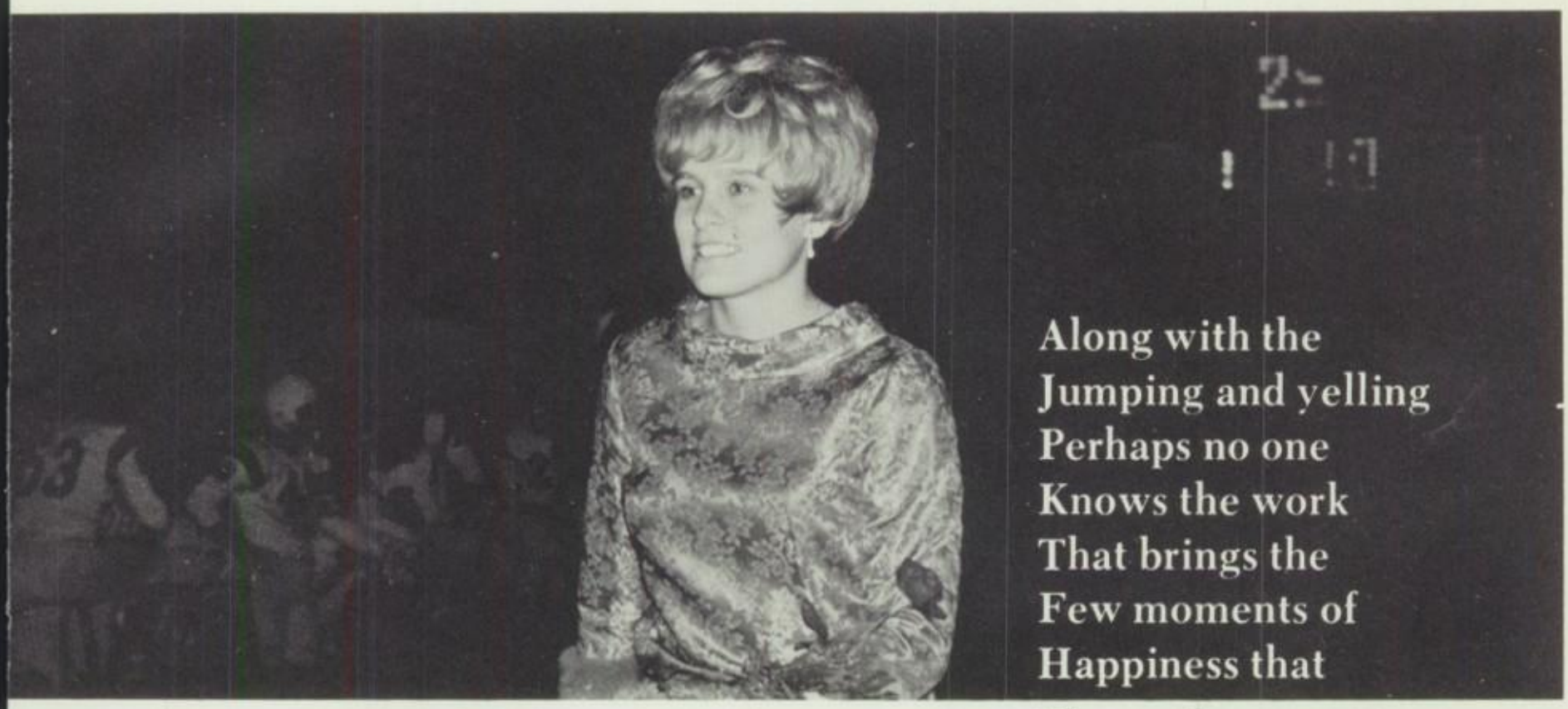






Well Mike, It's all over.
But the memory still is the
Don't forget the — Histroy
class with are Fearless Lea
and all the great times
we had - not to say anyth
about our little talks.

Rem ME ∀ J.B.



Along with the
Jumping and yelling
Perhaps no one
Knows the work
That brings the
Few moments of
Happiness that
The students can
Feel more than
The students themselves.

Sadness is part
Of the game.
The end of another game
Peace of life.

Hi Mike -
Be a good senior (but don't get too rowdy) and keep up the senior tradition,
See ya.
Chris

Mike)

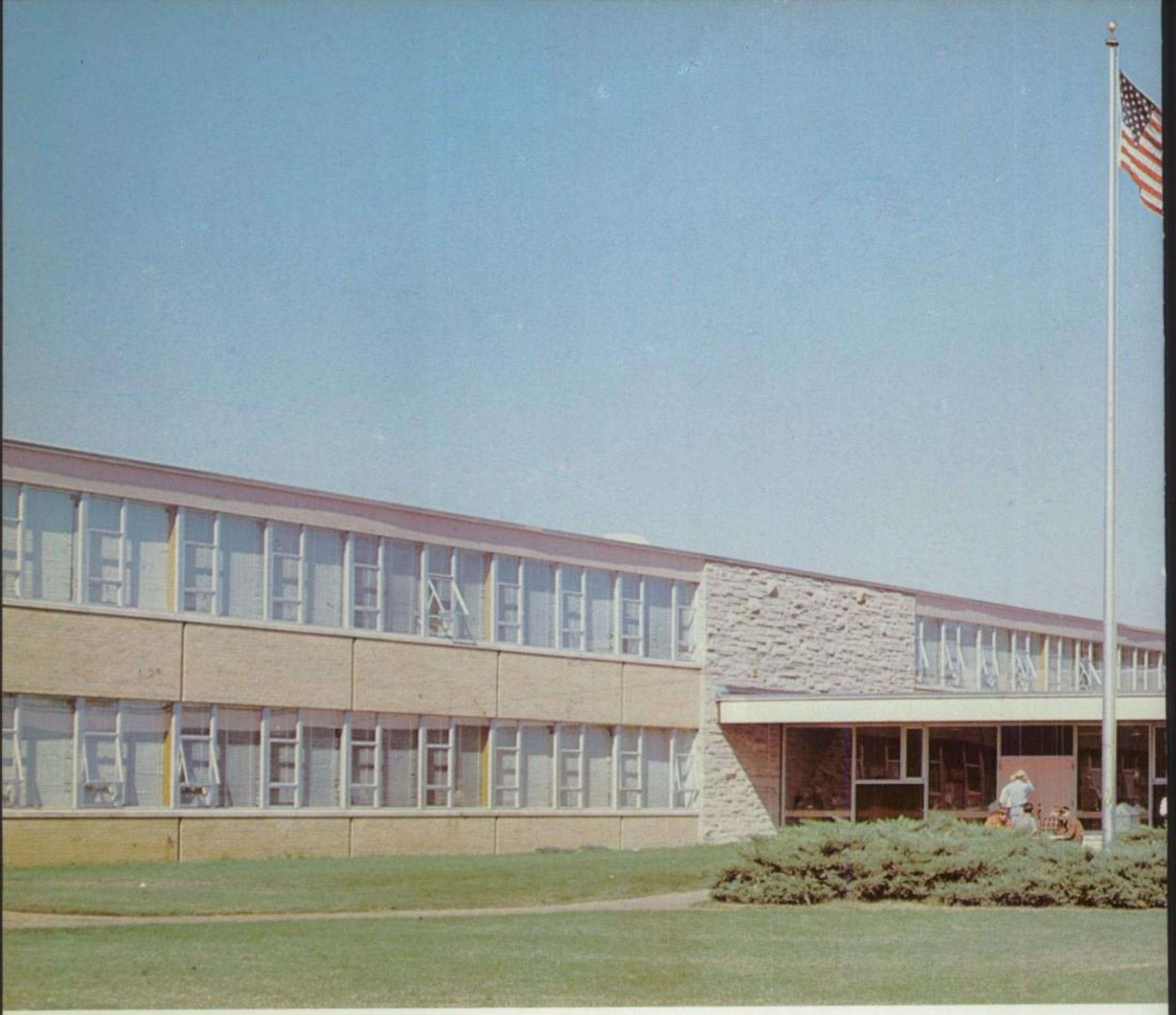
To a great drafting buddy who has been on the falling list with me all year. I wont be seeing you again so I hope you finish drafting and have all the success in the world when you move to Beatrice.

Good Luck Bob

Mike,
Always remember our choir rehearsals and "How to Succeed". Remember all the times you guys came into Scotts to pester(?) me. Lots of luck next year and be good this summer.

Patty "68"

Up and down
Up and down
Hurry and wait.
The halls seem
Longer and time spent
With friends seems
Shorter.
A few moments
Can always be
Found to dream
And regain energy
Lost.
Then on to new
Experiences, new
Dreams.



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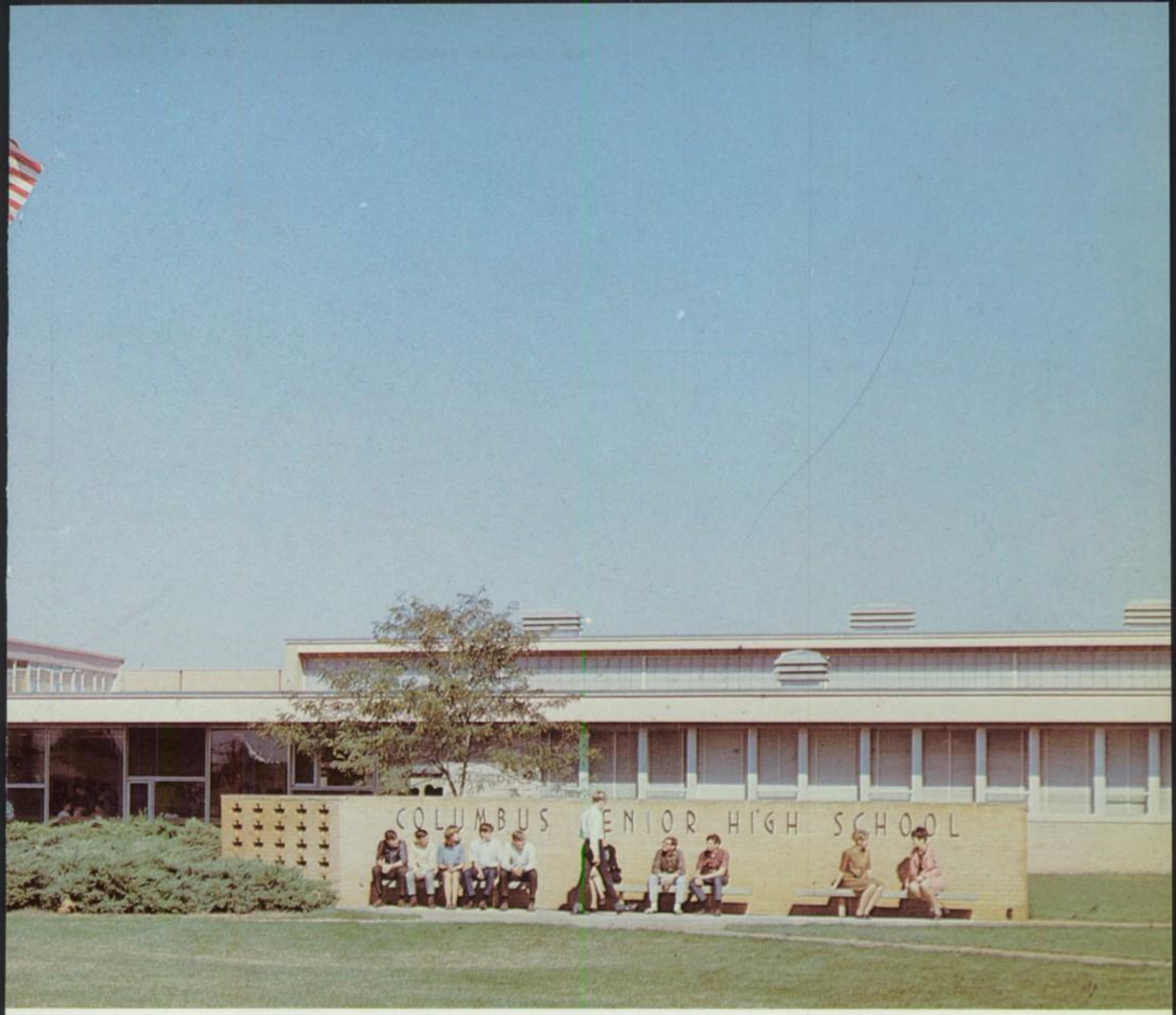


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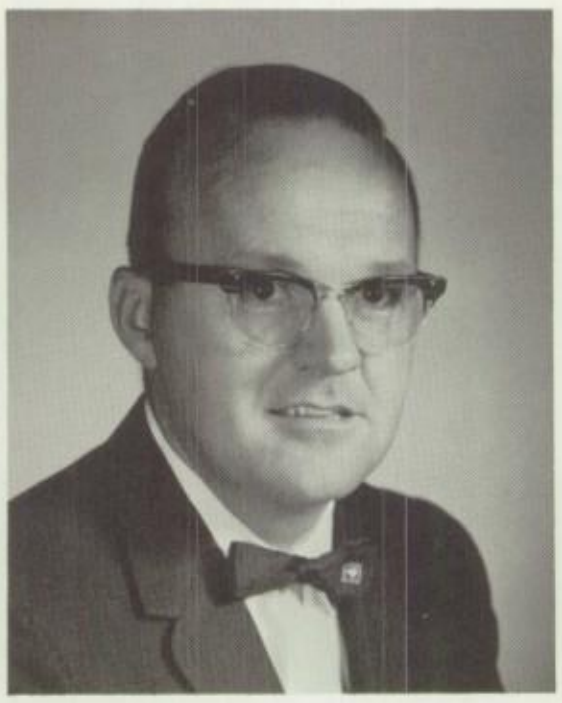
# ADMINISTRATION

Mike (the night
Rem. x Mike
you x Mike
rescued up from that
creep woke boss following
us ; your "mis" jokes!
Well I'll miss (C.H.S. next
year I hope you x
the class of 69 keep
up the good reputation
of next (C.H.S. Good luck
(I just in Beatrice
may yrs.) area
bluewp. God bless you
Linda Farnham

P.S. I hope we
catch alot of
fish!!!

MR. GAIL L. SIMS
Superintendent of Schools



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of Schools

MR. EDSEL WIBBELS
Federal Aid Coordinator
Director of Adult Education

# School Board Looked Toward the Future

Evaluation sessions are now completed, but the school board must continue along these lines to review the conclusions drawn by the self-evaluation committees. The staff evaluated the conclusions which were made concerning the curriculum from recommendations made by visiting committees. While picking out those improvements which could be made soon and those which would fall in the long-range schedule, the board decided whether or not some of the criticisms were worthwhile.

Supervision of the School District funds, hiring of faculty members and other personnel, and determining the school's policies were done under the guidance and sponsorship of the Board of Education.

President of the School Board was Mr. Lester C. Ernst, a three-year member. Mr. Kenneth Torczon, a four-year member, assumed the post of vice-president. The duties of treasurer were taken care of for the second year by Mr. Gail L. Sims, Superintendent of Schools. Secretary for the board was Mrs. Ina Person, Secretary to the Superintendent.

**STANDING:** Gail L. Sims, Superintendent and Treasurer; Paul W. Abegglen, Dr. H. D. Kuper, Dr. Clyde Medlar, Dr. James J. Herfkens, Assistant Superintendent. **SEATED:** Lester C. Ernst, President; Mrs. Ina Person, Secretary; Roy Deden, Kenneth Torczon, Vice-President.

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to relieve tension of daily grind.

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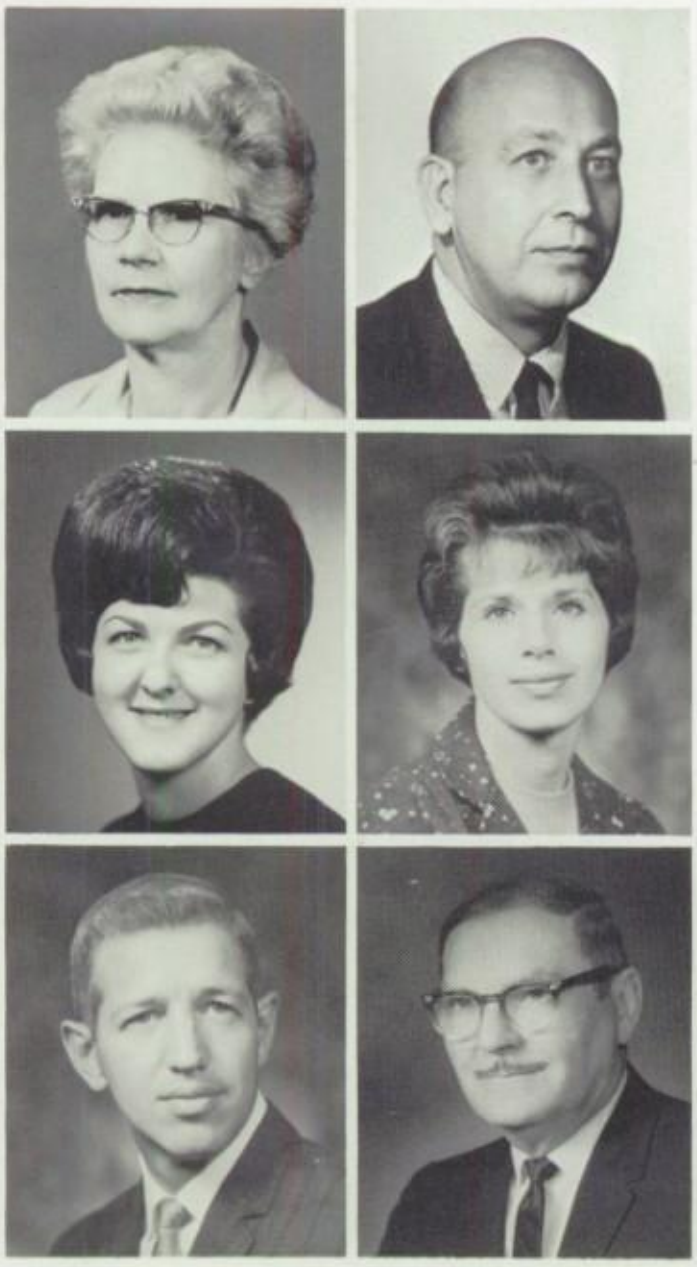

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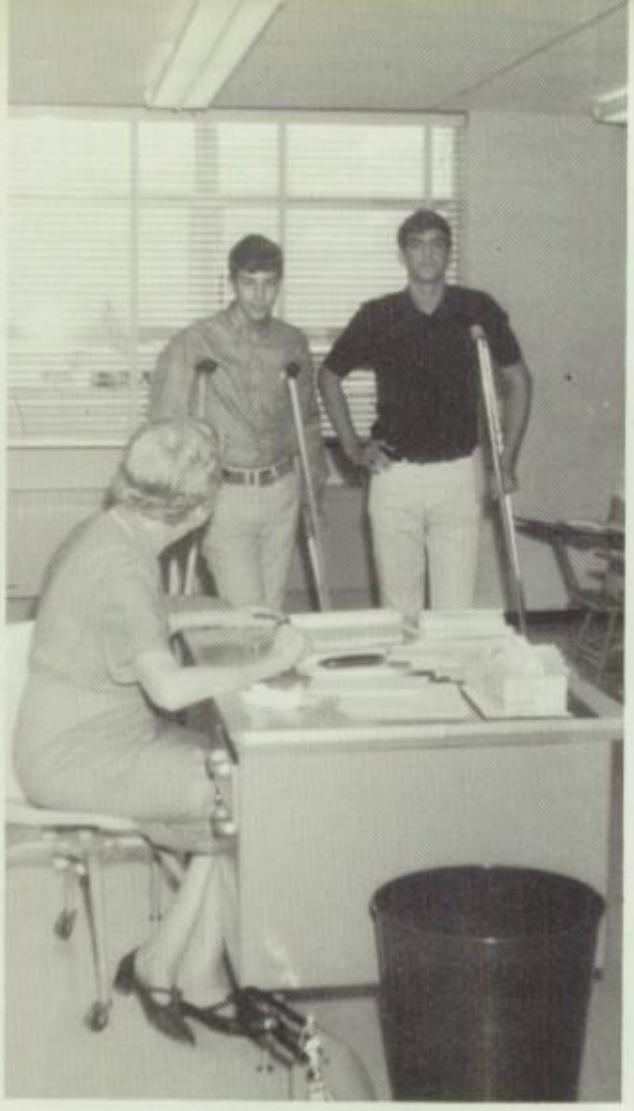

That's what you get for "messing around" in Miss Grace's class.

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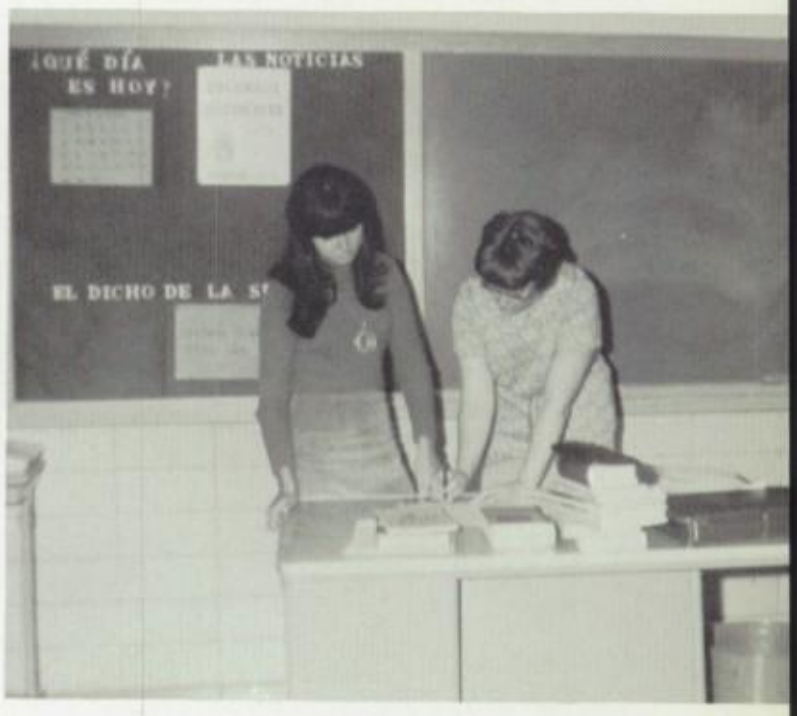


Maria wonders, "Maybe?" How do the natives say it?

# Student Horizons

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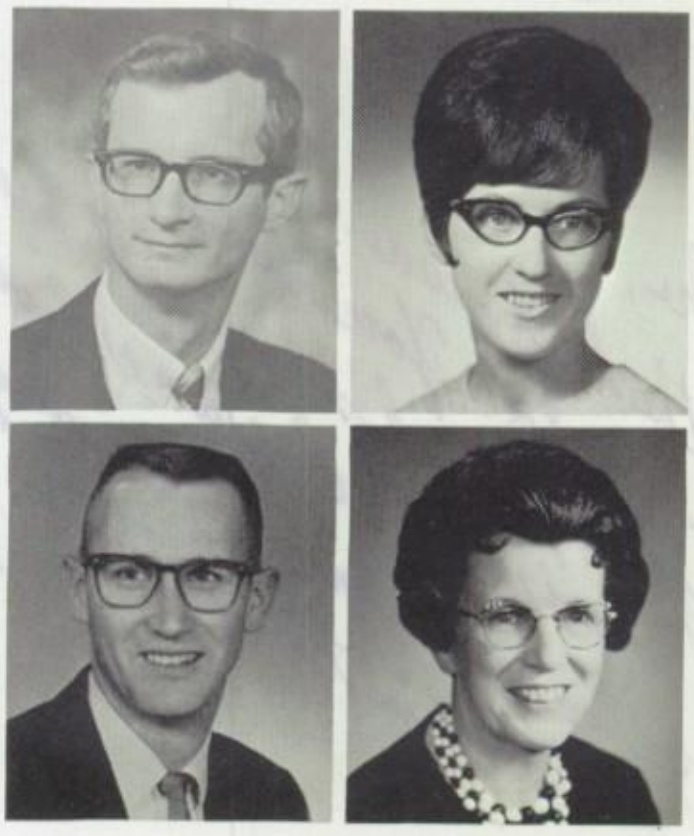
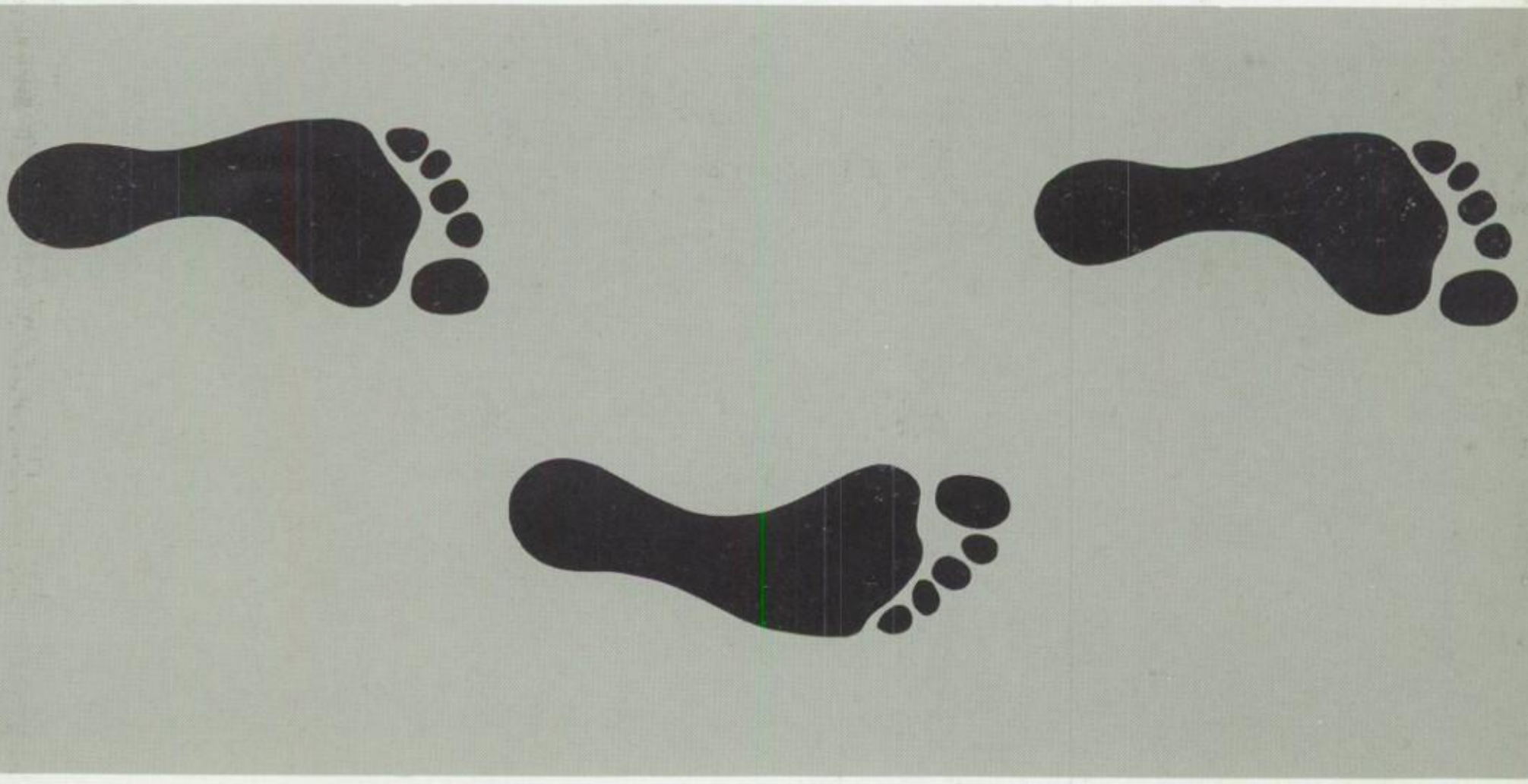


Mike - Behave, if possible next year. Take care o the' rest of them.
T. Webb

Mike,
You're the best reader
in the world. You did a
very good job. I'm sorry to hear
you're moving, but I guess I wouldn't
see you too much next year anyway, would I.
Best of luck in the future. Dave V
"68"

# CLASSES



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Todd Schwank

**VICE-PRESIDENT**
John Staub

# Seniors Took Final Look at CHS

**NANCY LYN ABEGGLEN**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2, Choir 3,4, Senior Double Sextette 4, Bell Choir 3,4; GAA4; Booster Club 3, Cheerleader 2,4; Thespians 3; Snowball Attendant 4.

**STEVEN DALE ANDERSON**
**College Preparatory**
Basketball 2,3,4; Track 3; Cross Country 2,3,4; Choir 4; C-Club 4; Student Council 4; Snowball Attendant 4.

**KENT FREDERICK APTHORPE**
**College Preparatory**
Football 2; Track 2,4; Band 2,3,4; Pep Band 3,4; Choir 4; Operetta 4; Thespians 4; Thespian Play 4.

As we take our final look at the halls and classrooms of CHS, we recall forgotten memories of jubilant victories and disheartening defeats that were staged here.

As energetic sophomores we accepted the challenge of a new and exciting experience — high school. Being a year of "firsts," there was the thrill of the first Homecoming Dance.

Showered with achievement tests in our junior year, we were encouraged to make plans for the rapidly approaching after-graduation days. Selecting a class ring and striving to make the junior-senior prom a memorable occasion for all were the major decisions confronting us as juniors.

But now as reigning seniors we experienced a year of "lasts" — the last school dance, the last deadline, and the last game. Having been ably led through arduous high school days, we can proudly say we have kept the CHS ship afloat for another season. Now we hand to the juniors the keys to a successful senior year. In striving to produce the

**SECRETARY**
Jon Blocker

**TREASURER**
Brian Granquist

**REGENTS SCHOLARSHIP WINNER**
Douglas Eggli

# Eggli Named Regents Winner

best musical, the most interesting newspaper, and the longest winning season, you will discover the spirit of CHS and keep it alive for those to follow you.

Looking into the horoscope of the future, we see many of our high school acquaintances in college, holding jobs, or serving in the armed forces. The future is in our hands to do with as we please. We are now the leaders of our fellow men — the example for future generations to follow.

Reverend Ervin C. Basler gave the Baccalaureate sermon on May 26 in the CHS Auditorium. The following evening, May 27, the class of 1968 gave their final farewells at Commencement in the high school gymnasium where scholarships were awarded from various colleges which some of the seniors plan to attend. At the closing ceremony, Mr. Delbert Miller, CHS Principal, presented the class to Mr. Lester Ernst, President of the Board of Education, who presented each senior with his diploma.

**SAM CHARLES AUGUSTINE**
**College Preparatory**
Football 4; Wrestling 4; C-Club 4.

**DEAN L. BABEL**
**General**

**JOHN ZANE BALLEW**
**College Preparatory**
Tennis 2; Cross Country 2,3,4; Gymnastics 2,3,4; C-Club 3,4; Student Council 3, President 4; Annual Staff — Sports Co-Editor 4.

**LINDA LOU BASLER**
**College Preparatory**
Choir 3, Girls' Glee 2; Booster Club 2,3,4; DECA 4.

**CHARLES THOMAS BECHER**
**College Preparatory**
Football 2,3; Track 2; Wrestling 2; Swimming 3.

**BONNIE SUE BEHLE**
**College Preparatory**
Band 2,3,4; Girls' Glee 2; FTA 4; Booster Club 2,3,4.

**DENNIS JOHN BEHLEN**
**Vocational Arts**
Shop Foreman 4.

Dennis Behlen

**FREDERICK MICHAEL BEHLEN**
**College Preparatory**
Choir 2,3, President 4; Operetta 2,3,4; Classmen 2,3,4; Chordells 3; Vocal Solo 4; State Music Clinic 3,4; Thespians 2,3,4; Thespian Play 2,3; All School Play 3, 4; Discover Staff — Photographer 3; Stage Crew 4.

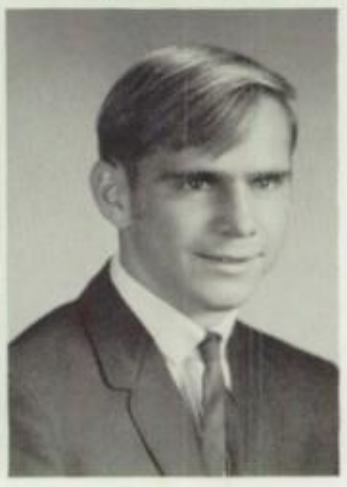
# All Male Leadership

**CHRISTINE ANNE BEHRENS**
**Vocational Clerical**
Girls' Glee 2.

**ROBERT SAMUEL BELL**
**General**

**STEVEN EDWARD BERKHEIMER**
**College Preparatory**
Football 2; Track 2; Wrestling 2.

**DAVID G. BERNT**
**College Preparatory**
Football 2,3,4; Tennis 3; Swimming 3; Gymnastics 2.



**GUS CHARLES BERNT**
**General**
DECA 4.

**CAROLYN JEAN BERRY**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2; Choir 3,4; Bell Choir 3,4; GAA 4; Booster Club 2,3,4, Mascot 3; Thespians 2,3,4; Thespian Play 2; County Government — Agricultural Agent 3; DECA 4.

**HARVEY RAY BEST**
**Industrial Arts**
Shop Foreman 4.

**RICHARD LEE BEST**
**General**
Shop Foreman 4.

**LYNITA RAE BLATCHFORD**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2; FTA 2; Booster Club 2, 3,4.

# for Class of '68

**JON STEPHEN BLOCKER**
**College Preparatory**
Track 2,3,4; Gymnastics 2,3,4; Golf 2; C-Club 2,3,4; Class Secretary 4.

**MARTHA PATRICIA BOKELMANN**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2; Booster Club 2,3,4.

**KAREN KAY BORKE**
**General**

**KATHERINE ANN BORUCH**
**College Preparatory**
Choir 4.

**BRIAN J. BRAITHWAIT**
**College Preparatory**
Football 2,3,4; Basketball 2; Track 2,3,4; Swimming 3,4; C-Club 3,4; Choir 4; Thespians 4; Thespian Play 4; Class Treasurer 4; DECA — Vice-President 4.

**LAVERN N. BRANDT**
**College Preparatory**
Basketball 2,3,4.

**SHARON MARLA BRIDGMON**
**General**
Girls' Glee 2; Booster Club 2,3,4.

**PATRICIA LOUISE BRIGGS**
**Vocational Clerical**
Band 3; Majorette 3; Booster Club 2,3,4; Office Staff 4.

# High Hopes Began

**DALE HAROLD BRINKMAN**
**College Preparatory**
Choir 3.

**ROBERT TIMOTHY BROCK**
**College Preparatory**
Football 3,4; Wrestling 3; Choir 4; C-Club 4; Student Council 4.

**MARY JANE BUCHHOLZ**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2; Student Council 2,3, Treasurer 4; Annual Staff — Junior Class Editor 4; Booster Club 2,3, Matie 4; Cheerleader 2; Thespians 2,3, Vice-President 4; Girls' State Alternate 3; Homecoming Attendant 4.

**ROBERT IRWIN BURNS, JR.**
**College Preparatory**
Track 3,4; Wrestling 2,3,4, Student Manager 3; Tennis 2; Cross Country 3,4; Band 2,3,4; Pep Band 3,4; Symphonette 3,4; C-Club 3,4; Student Council — Vice-President 4; Science Club 4; Thespian Play 3, Boys' State 3; County Government — County Attorney 3.

**JAMES WALTER CAFFREY**
**Vocational Marketing**
Track 2; Wrestling 2; DECA 3,4.

**KATHLEEN ANN CARLSON**
**College Preparatory**
Band 2,3,4; Booster Club 2,3,4; Mixed Clarinet Quartette 4; Symphonette 4.

**RICHARD DEAN CARR**
**College Preparatory**
Basketball 2,3,4; Track 2,3,4; Cross Country 2,3; C-Club 4; Choir 4; Student Council 4; County Government — County Supervisor 3; Snowball Attendant 4.

**LEROY RAYMOND CATTAU**
**College Preparatory**
Basketball 2.

**DALLAS WILLIAM CHURCH**
**General**

**LINDA MARIE CLINE**
**General**
Booster Club 2; Junior Librarians 2.

# Year for Seniors

**MICHAEL JAMES CLINE**
**General**
Football 2; DECA 4.

**DONALD G. CONYERS**
**College Preparatory**

**CRAIG DELOS COOVER**
**College Preparatory**
Football 2,3,4; Wrestling 3,4; Swimming 2; C-Club 2,3,4.

**KAREN SUE CORDER**
**College Preparatory**
Junior Librarians 2,3, President 4; Thespian Play 2.

**MARJORIE LYNN COX**
**Vocational Stenographic**
Girls' Glee 2; FHA 2; Booster Club 2,3.

**MAUREEN ANN DANIELS**
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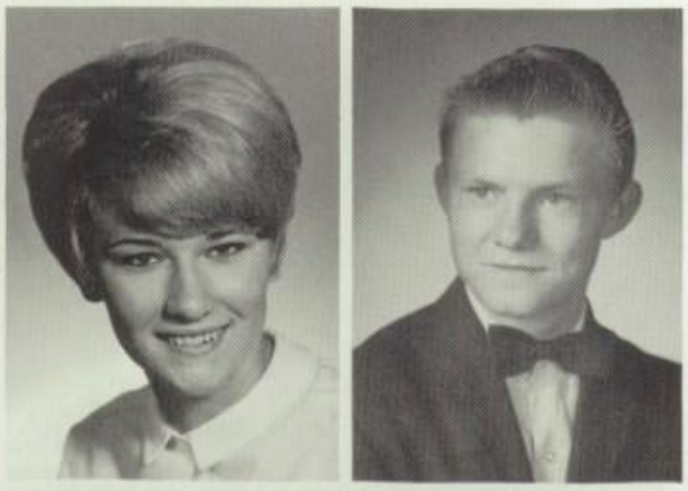
Girls' Glee 2; Student Council 2,3,4; Annual Staff — Photographer 4; GAA 4; Booster Club 2,3, Vice-President 4; Thespians 2,3,4; Thespian Play 2.



**SHARON LYNETTE DANIELSKI**
**Vocational Stenographic**
Girls' Glee 2; Booster Club 2.

**LARRY D. DAVIS**
**General**
FFA 4.

**KENT RICHARD DAVY**
**College Preparatory**
Wrestling 2; Choir 2,3, Robe Chairman 4; Classmen 3,4; Bell Choir 4; Student Council 4; Thespians 2,3, President 4; Thespian Play 3,4; All-School Play 3,4.

**MARY CATHERINE DEWITT**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2; Choir 3,4; Junior Octette 3; Senior Double Sextette 4; Bell Choir 3; GAA 4; Booster Club 2,3, Matie 4; Thespians 2,3,4; Thespian Play 2; Snowball Attendant 4.

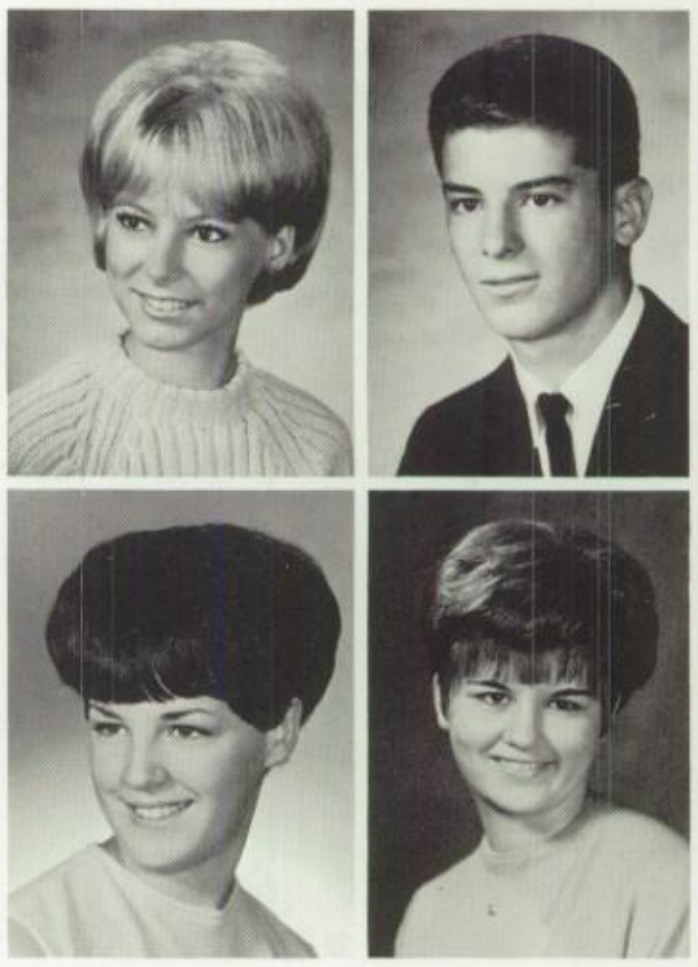
**GERALD LEE DICKE**
**Industrial Arts**
Shop Foreman 4.

**LINDA MARIE DISCHNER**
**General**
Band 2,3,4; FHA 2; Booster Club 4.

# All Royalty Was

**ANNE LYNN DOUGLASS**
**College Preparatory**
Booster Club 2,3; Thespians 2; DECA 3,4.

**GREGORY NEAL DRUM**
**Vocational Arts**
Football 2,3; Swimming 4; Gymnastics 2; Choir 2; Shop Foreman 4.

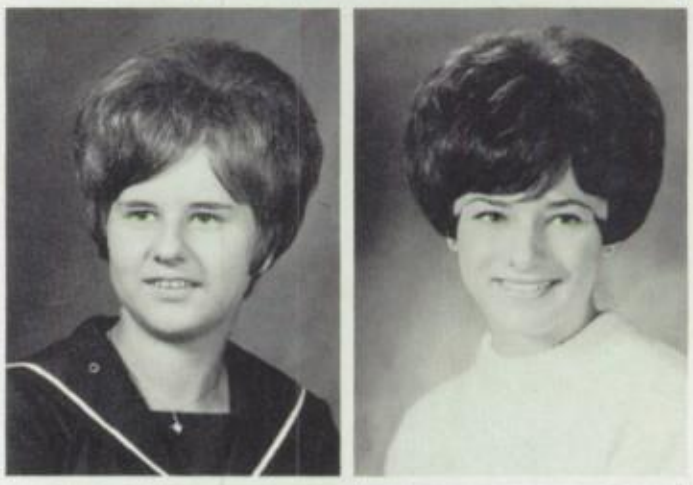


**IRENE LOUISE DUNCAN**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2; Annual Staff — Department Editor 4; National Forensic League — Secretary-Treasurer 4; Booster Club — Squad Leader 2,3, Matie 4; Thespians 2,3,4; Thespian Play 2.

**SANDRA LOUISE EARL**
**College Preparatory**
Band 2,3,4; Pep Band 4; Symphonette 4; Clarinet Quartette 4; Girls' Glee 2; Booster Club 2,3,4.

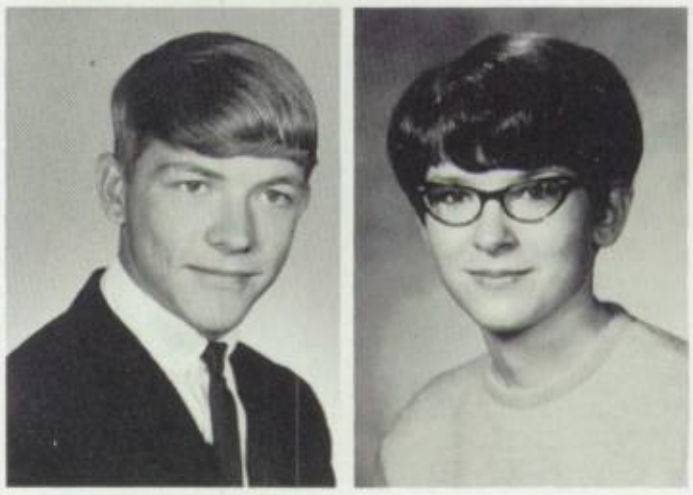
**DOUGLAS F. EGGLI**
**College Preparatory**
Band 2,3,4; Pep Band 3,4; Symphonette 3,4; Mixed Clarinet Quartette 3,4; Drum Major 4; Choir 2,4; Regents Scholarship 4.

**JACQUE LYNNE EMEL**
**College Preparatory**
Choir — Accompanist 3,4; Small Group Accompanist 3,4; Piano Solo 3,4; GAA 4; Booster Club 3, Matie 4; Thespians 3, Scribe 4.



**JANICE MARIE ENGEL**
**General**

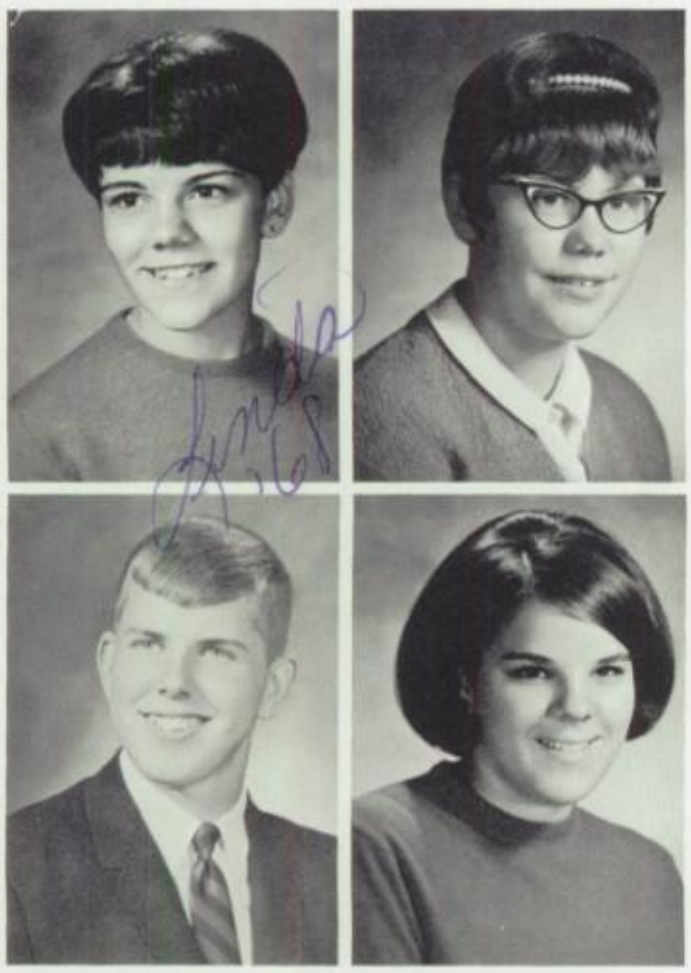
**MARY ROSE ERNST**
**Vocational Stenographic**
Band — Majorette 4; Choir 3,4; Girls' Glee 2; GAA 4; Booster Club 2,3,4; Thespians 2,3,4.



**ROBERT D. EVANS**
**Vocational Marketing**
DECA 4.

**DIANE LYNN EWERT**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2; Booster Club 2,3,4; Thespians 2,3; Thespian Play 2.

# Chosen From Seniors

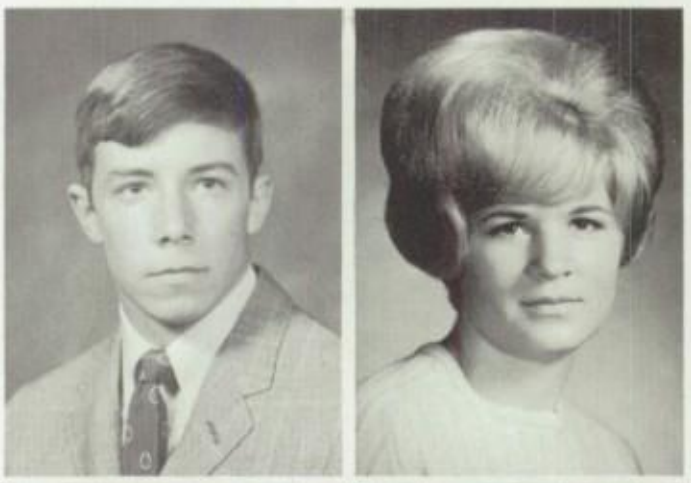


**LINDA KAY FARNHAM**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2; Booster Club 2,3,4; Thespians 2,3; DECA 3,4.

**JUNE ELIZABETH FAULKNER**
**General**
Girls' Glee 2.

**STEVEN LEE FERRIS**
**College Preparatory**
Football 2,3,4; Basketball 2; Track 2,4; Wrestling 4; C-Club 3,4; Student Council 3; Annual Staff — Sports Co-Editor 4; DECA 3.

**RISA ANN FLEISCHER**
**College Preparatory**
Band 2,3,4; Symphonette 4; Flute Trio 4; Choir 3,4; Girls' Glee 2; FTA 3, Parliamentarian 4; Booster Club 2,3,4; Thespians 2,3,4.



**WILLIAM MICHAEL FLOYD**
**College Preparatory**
Football 3,4; Basketball 2,3,4; Track 2,3,4; Cross Country 2; Choir 2,4; Classmen 2,3,4; C-Club 2,3,4; Student Council 3; Homecoming Attendant 4; DECA 4.

**VANORA MARIE FOLTZ**
**Vocational Clerical**
Booster Club 2,3,4.

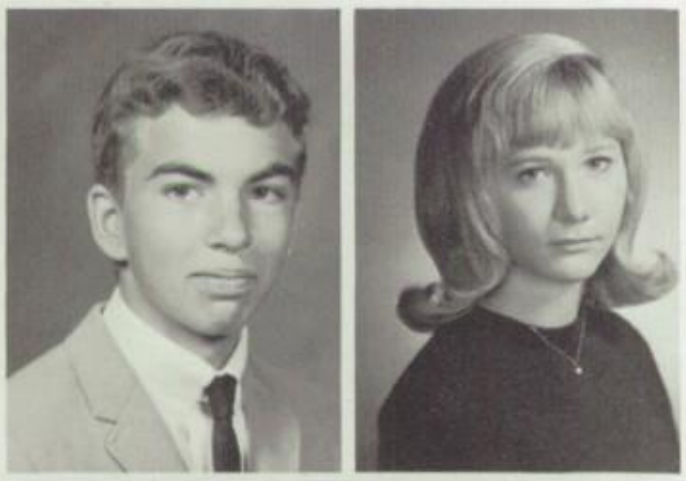
**WILLIAM L. FRICKE**
**General**
DECA 4.

**RICHARD GEORGE FRIEZE**
**College Preparatory**
Cross Country 3; Swimming 4; Choir 3; Classmen 3.

**MARY LOUISE FULTON**
**College Preparatory**
Annual Staff — Organization Co-Editor 4; FTA 4; Booster Club 3,4; Thespians 4; Regents Alternate 4.

**COLLEEN MARIE FYFE**
**College Preparatory**
Band 2,3,4; Pep Band 4; Symphonette 4; Booster Club 2,3,4; Thespians 4.

# Seniors Were Ever Ready to



**ROGER W. GARBERS**
**College Preparatory**
Choir 2,3,4; Classmen 4.

**CORRINE ANN GARRETSON**
**Vocational Clerical**
Booster Club 2,3.

**LINDA LOU GEHRING**
**Vocational Stenographic**
Girls' Glee 2; FHA 2, Parliamentarian 3, Vice-President 4; District FHA Parliamentarian 4; Booster Club 2,3,4; FFA-FHA Attendant 4.

**ROBERT ARDEN GEIER**
**Vocational Marketing**
DECA 3,4.

**KAYE ANN GEORGE**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2; Choir 3,4; Junior Octette 3; Senior Double Sextette 4; Operetta 3, 4; Student Council 3; Annual Staff — Typist 4; GAA — Vice-President 4; Booster Club 2,3,4; Thespians 2,4, Historian 3.

**PATRICIA KAY GERSIB**
**College Preparatory**
Band 2,3,4; Symphonette 3,4; Secretary 4; Choir 3,4; Girls' Glee 2; Annual Staff — Assistant Business Manager 3, Business Manager 4; Booster Club 2,3, Matie 4; Thespians 2; Class Treasurer 3.

**ELAINE R. GIGSTAD**
**College Preparatory**
Band 2,3,4; Girls' Glee 2; FHA 2; Booster Club 2,3,4; Thespians 4.

**KEITH ARNOLD GOTTSCHALL**
**College Preparatory**
Football 2,3; Tennis 2; Swimming 2,3,4; C-Club 2,3,4.

**BRIAN DEAN GRANQUIST**
**College Preparatory**
Band 2,3,4; Pep Band 2,3,4; Flute Trio 2,3; Flute Solo 2; Student Conductor 4; State Music Clinic 3,4; Symphonette 3,4; Solo Accompanist 2,3; Choir 2,3,4, Accompanist 3,4; Operetta 2,4, Accompanist 3; Annual Staff — Typist 4; All-School Play 3.

**NANCY LYN GRAUS**
**Vocational Stenographic**
Girls' Glee 2; Choir 3, Secretary-Treasurer 4; Booster Club 2, Squad Leader 3, Matie 4.

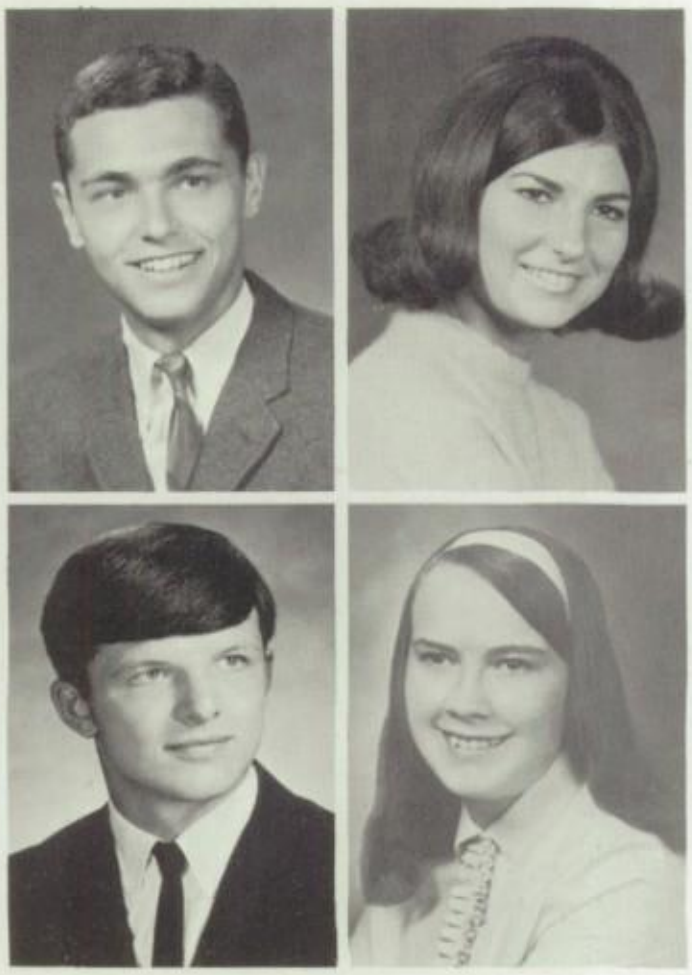
# Assume Responsibilities

**KATHLEEN ANN GROTELUESCHEN**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee — Accompanist 2; Choir 3,4; FTA 2,3,4; FHA 4; Booster Club 2,3,4.

**JANICE MAE GROTELUSCHEN**
**Vocational Clerical**
Girls' Glee 2; FHA 2,3, Degree Chairman 4; GAA 4; FFA-FHA Attendant 4.

**NORMA JEAN GRUENHAGE**
**College Preparatory**
Band 2,3,4; Pep Band 4; French Horn Quartette 4; Symphonette 4; Girls' Glee 2; FTA 4; Booster Club 2,3,4.

**CAROL LYNN GUENTHER**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2; GAA 4; Booster Club 2,3,4.



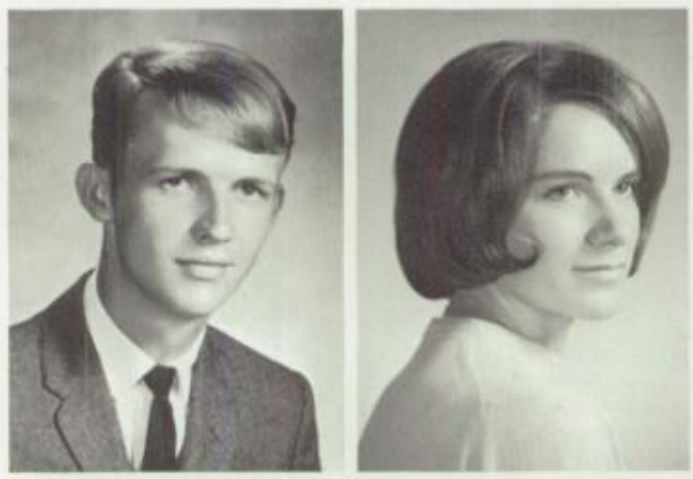
**MICHAEL PATRICK HAGEL**
**College Preparatory**
Football 4; Track 3,4; Cross Country 3; Gymnastics 3; C-Club 3,4; County Government — Judge 3.

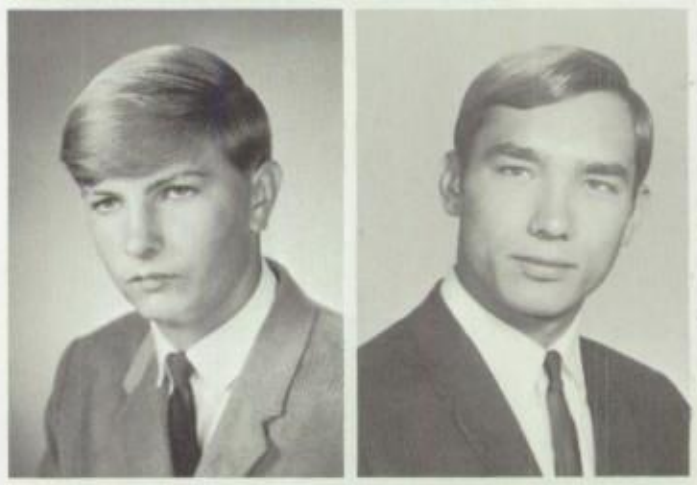
**CHERYL JEAN HAHN**
**Vocational Clerical**
Girls' Glee 2; Booster Club 2,3,4; DECA 4.

**DANNY LEROY HARTSEL**
**Industrial Arts**
Football 2,3,4; Wrestling 3; Gymnastics 2; C-Club 3,4; Shop Foreman 4; Homecoming King 4.

**ZARA ZEE HASKINS**
**General**
Girls' Glee 2; FHA 2; Junior Librarian 2.

# Seniors Enjoyed the





**ROBERT JAMES HAYES**
**General**
Track 2; Gymnastics 2.

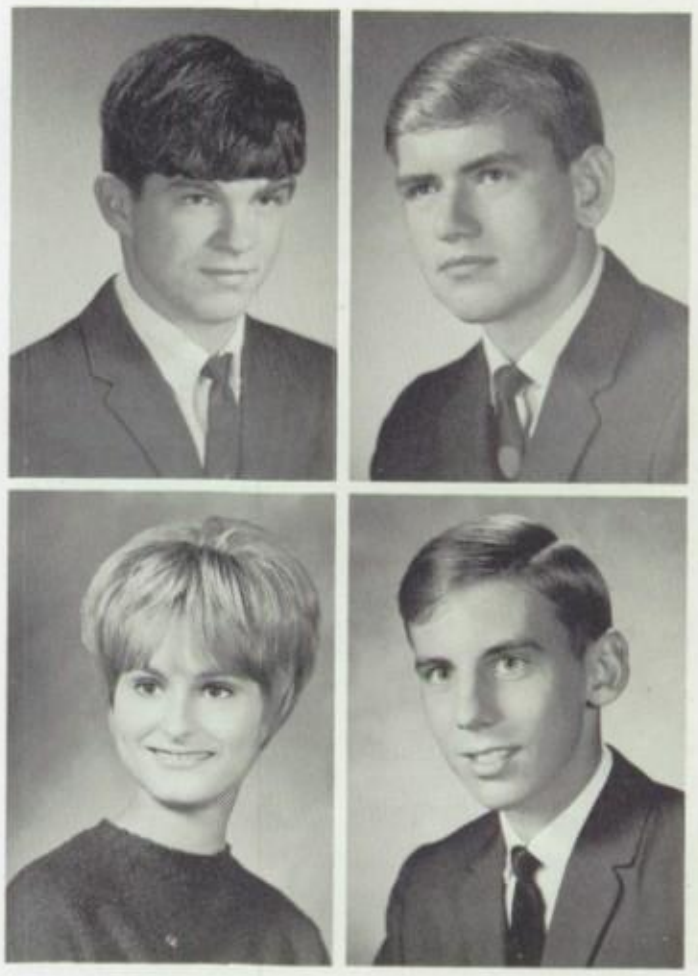
**NANCY MARIE HEFTI**
**Vocational Stenographic**
GAA 4; Booster Club 2,3,4; Office Staff 2,3.

**ARTHUR TED HEIBEL**
**College Preparatory**
FFA 2,3,4.

**THOMAS ELMER HENKE**
**College Preparatory**
Basketball 2,3,4; Tennis 2.

**RONALD EMIL HERMS**
**College Preparatory**
Band 2,3,4; Pep Band 3,4; Symphonette 3,4; FTA 3; Cornet Quartette 4.

**FRANK PATRICK HIGGINS**
**College Preparatory**
Basketball 3,4; Tennis 3,4; C-Club 3,4; County Government — Sheriff 3; Snowball Attendant 4.



**JOHN JOE HILGER**
**Industrial Arts**

**JEFFREY LEE HOGE**
**College Preparatory**
Football 3; Track 3,4; Gymnastics 2,3,4; C-Club 2,3,4.

**JEANNE LAUREE HONKE**
**College Preparatory**
Student Council 4; GAA 4; Booster Club 2,3,4; Thespians 3.

**ROBERT JOHN HOPP**
**College Preparatory**
Basketball 2,3,4; Track 2,3,4; Cross Country 2,3,4; Choir 4; C-Club 3,4.

# Privileges of Being "Tops"

**LARRY GENE HORAK**
**General**
Wrestling 2,3; DECA 4.

**ROGER LEE HUGHES**
**General**
DECA 4.

**DEBRA JO IHDE**
**General**
Choir 3; Chordelles 3; Girls' Glee 2; Booster Club 4; Thespians 2; All-School Play 3.

**WILLIAM CONRAD INGOLD**
**College Preparatory**

**THOMAS E. IOSSI**
**College Preparatory**
Football 4; Basketball 4; Track 3,4; C-Club 4; Student Council 4; Homecoming Attendant 4.

**ROBERT RALPH IRWIN**
**College Preparatory**
Basketball 2,3,4; Cross Country 2,3,4; Choir 2; Classmen 2,3; C-Club 2,3,4; Class President 2; County Government — County Clerk 3; Snowball Attendant 4.

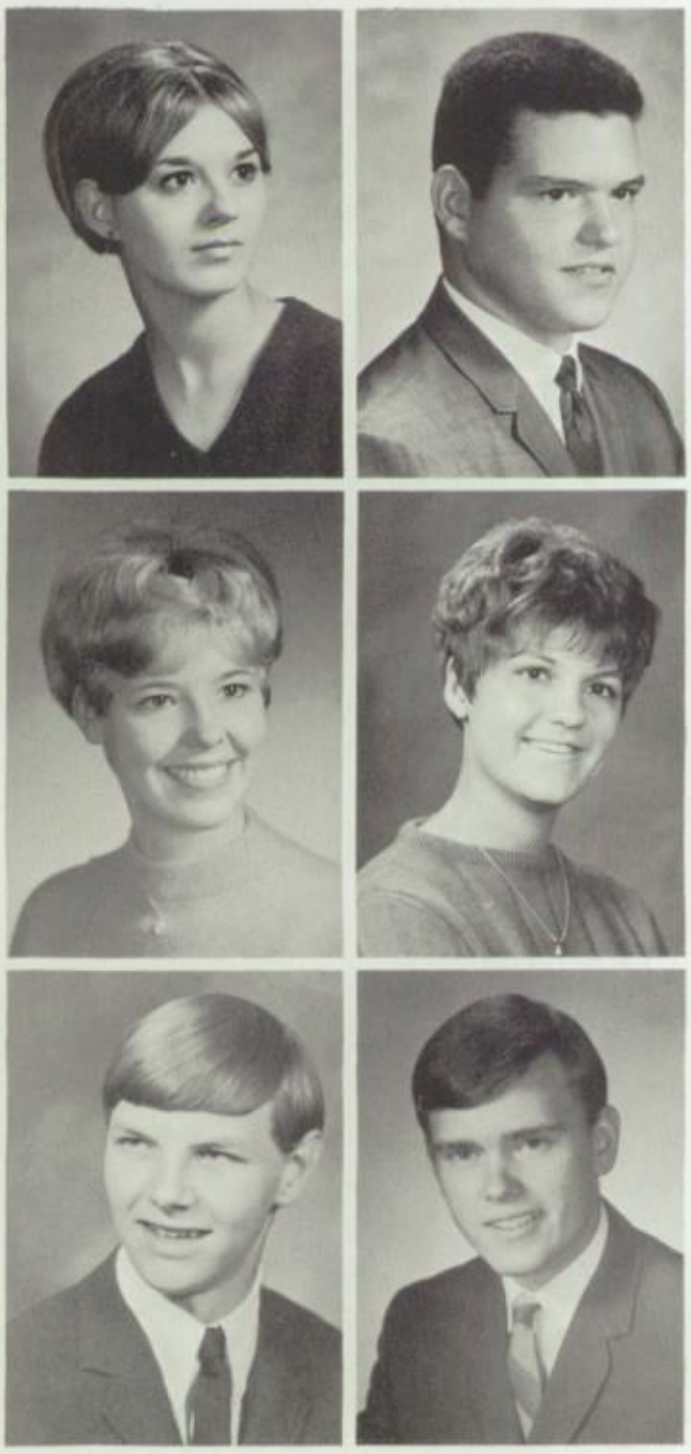
**IVAN LYNN JACOBS**
**College Preparatory**
Football — Student Manager 2,3,4; Basketball — Student Manager 2,3,4; Track — Student Manager 2,3,4; C-Club 2,3,4; Annual Staff — Sports Co-Editor 4.

**CHRIS JAY JACOBSON**
**College Preparatory**
Football 3,4; Track 4; Wrestling 2,3; C-Club 4.

**JUDY ANN JAEGGI**
**General**
Booster Club 2,3.

**PEGGY LEE JEFFRES**
**College Preparatory**
Band 2,3,4; Girls' Glee 2.

# Seniors Collected Most



**JACKIE R. JOHNSON**
**Vocational Stenographic**
Girls' Glee 2; Booster Club 2,3,4, Squad Leader 2; Thespians 2.

**ROBERT CALVIN JONES**
**College Preparatory**
Band 2,3,4; Pep Band 3,4; Symphonette 3,4; French Horn Quartette 4; French Horn Solo 4.

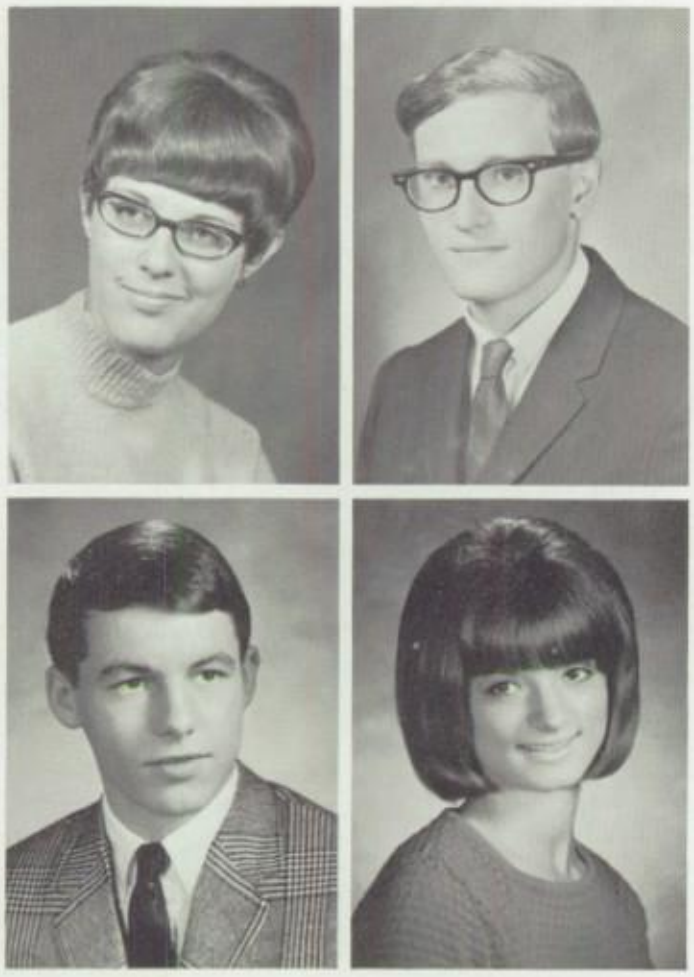
**CYNTHIA JEAN JONES**
**College Preparatory**
Band 2,3,4; Pep Band 3,4; Symphonette 4; Girls' Glee 2; Choir 3,4; FTA 3, President 4; Booster Club 2,3,4; Thespians 2,3,4; Thespian Play 4.

**SHARMAN LYNN JOSEPH**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2; Choir 3,4; Chordells 3; Junior Octette 3, Senior Double Sextette 4; Operetta 3,4; State Music Clinic 4; GAA 4; Booster Club 2,3, Squad Leader 4, Cheerleader 2; Thespians 2,3,4.



**ALAN RAY JOY**
**College Preparatory**
Choir 2,3,4; Classmen 2,3,4; Chordells 4; Operetta 4.

**STEVEN RONALD KAMBER**
**College Preparatory**
Basketball 2,3.



**CHRISTINE ANN KANT**
**Vocational Stenographic**
Girls' Glee 2; FHA 2, Treasurer 3, President 4; FFA-FHA Queen 4; Booster Club 2,3,4; Office Staff 4.

**DANIEL GEORGE KARGES**
**General**

**DAVID LEE KILMER**
**College Preparatory**
Basketball 2,3,4; Track 2,3,4; Cross Country 2,3; C-Club 4.

**LYNN KAY KINZER**
**General**
FHA 2,3,4; GAA 4; Booster Club 2,4; Junior Librarian 2; FFA-FHA Attendant 4.

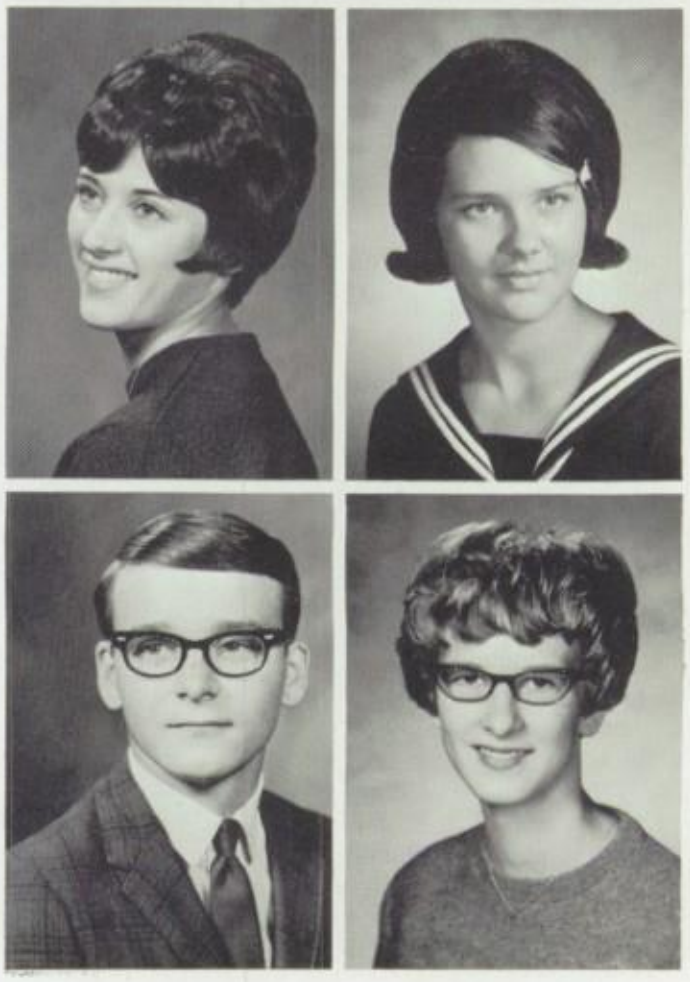
# Boxes for Bonfire

**KAYLEEN ANN KLUG**
**Vocational Stenographic**
Booster Club 2,3,4.

**LEONARD S. KOBUS**
**General**
FFA 2,3,4.

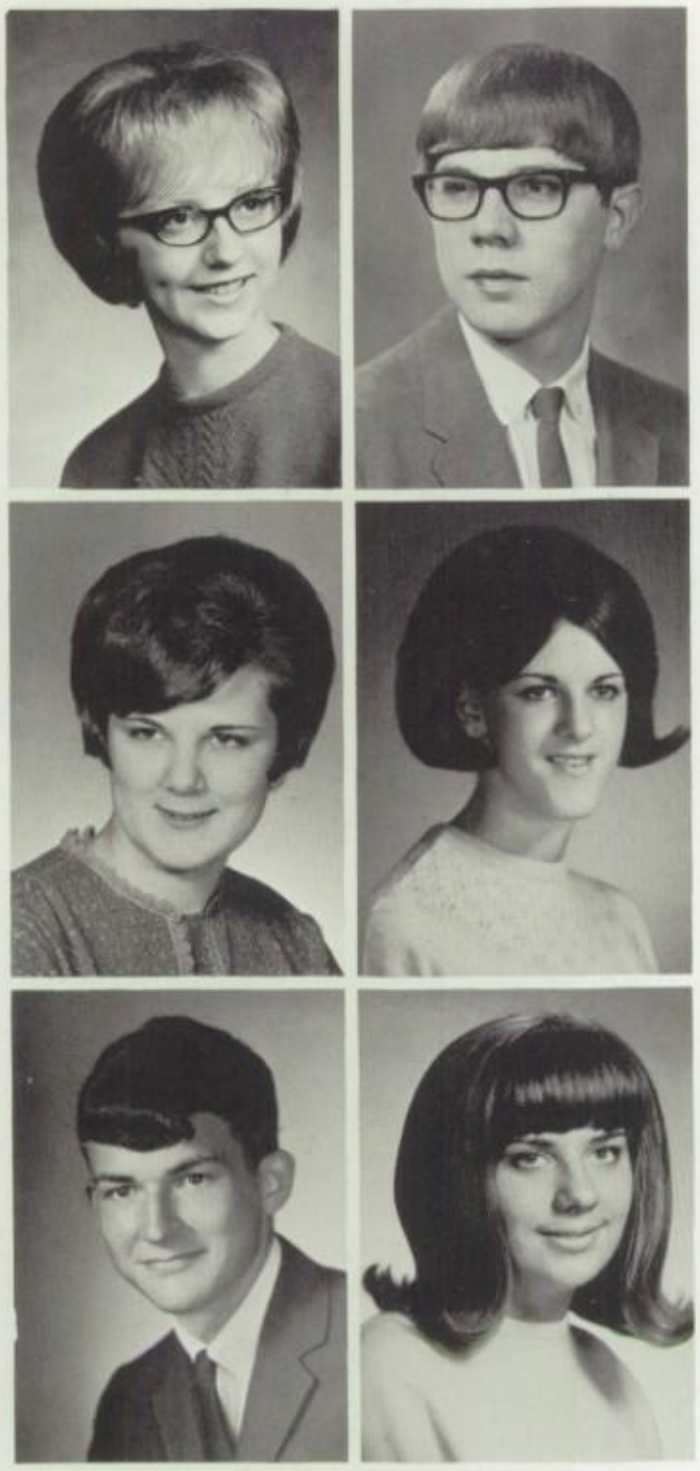
**DIANE MARIE KOBZA**
**Vocational Marketing**
Girls' Glee 2; Booster Club 2,3, Squad Leader 4; DECA — Secretary 4; Snowball Queen 4.

**CATHERINE ANN KOSINSKI**
**General**
FHA 4.



**KEVIN REED KOUTNIK**
**College Preparatory**
Wrestling 2; Choir 2,3, Robe Chairman 4; Classmen 4; Bell Choir 4.

**BONNIE M. KRACMAN**
**General**
FHA 2,4; DECA 3.



**KATHRYN ANN KRUMLAND**
**Vocational Clerical**
Girls' Glee 2; Choir — Attendance 3,4; Starlites 3,4; Discoverer Staff — Photographer 4; FTA 3, Treasurer 4; Booster Club 2,3,4; Thespians 3,4.

**DENNIS GENE KRUSE**
**College Preparatory**

**JANE KUMMETZ**
**College Preparatory**
Band 2,3,4; FTA 4; FHA 2; Booster Club 2,3,4; Thespians 4.

**MARGARET L. KUTA**
Girls' Glee 2; Booster Club 2,3,4; Thespians 2.

**MICHAEL JOSEPH LANDKAMER**
**Industrial Arts**

**WENDY LOU LATARE**
**Vocational Stenographic**
Girls' Glee 2; Junior Librarians 2; Office Staff 4.

# College, Jobs Filled

**GERALD LEE LEFFERS**
**General**

**DAVID EDWARD LEONHARD**
**Industrial Arts**
Shop Foreman 4.

**ROBERT H. LOHR**
**College Preparatory**
Band 2,3, President 4; Pep Band 2,3,4; Symphonette 2,3,4; Trombone Quartette 2,3,4; Choir 2; Student Council 3; Thespian Play 3.

**BRUCE DUANE LONG**
**General**

**ANN LOUISE LOOMIS**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2; Choir 3,4; Starlites 3,4; Junior Octette 3; Senior Double Sextette 4; Student Council 2,3; GAA 4; Booster Club — Cheerleader 2,3, Head Cheerleader 4; Homecoming Attendant 4.

**BETH JANETTE LOSEKE**
**College Preparatory**
Band 2,3; Pep Band 3; Choir 3,4; Girls' Glee 2; Bell Choir 4; Annual Staff — Assistant Editor 3, Editor 4; FTA 4; Booster Club 2,3, Head Matie 4; Thespians 2,3, Treasurer 4; County Government — County Supervisor 3; Snowball Attendant 4; Band — Symphonette 3.

**DANA PAUL LOSEKE**
**College Preparatory**
Football 2,3,4; Basketball 2; Wrestling 3; Tennis 2,3,4; Annual Staff — Sports Co-Editor 4; Regents Alternate 4.

**GENE B. LOSEKE**
**Vocational Arts**
FFA 2,3, Secretary 4; FFA-FHA Attendant 4.

**LORENA JEANETTE LOVELL**
**Vocational Stenographic**
Girl's Glee 2; Booster Club 2,3,4; Junior Librarian 2.

**LOIS LAREE LUCKEY**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2; Booster Club 2,3,4; Thespians 3,4; FNA — Historian 2.

# Thoughts of Seniors

**THEDORA ROSE LUND**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2; Student Council 2,3,4; Booster Club — Cheerleader 2,3,4; Thespians 2,3,4; Homecoming Attendant 4; Girls' State 3; County Government — Superintendent of Schools 3.

**LOUIS A. LUTJELUSCHE**
**College Preparatory**
Football 2,3; Wrestling 2,3,4; Cross Country 4; C-Club 4.

**SARAH E. MacFARLAND**
**College Preparatory**
Choir 4; Senior Double Sextette 4; GAA 4; Booster Club 4.

**MELVIN JEROME MAHLIN**
**Industrial Arts**
Shop Foreman 4.

**KATHRYN SUE McCAMLEY**
**College Preparatory**
Band 3,4; Symphonette 4; French Horn Quartette 4; Pep Band 4; Girls' Glee 2; FTA 4; Booster Club 2,3, 4.

**SUSAN JO McCARTHY**
**College Preparatory**
Choir 3,4; Starlites 3,4; Junior Octette 3; Senior Double Sextette 4; Booster Club 3, Cheerleader 4; Thespians 3; County Government — Clerk of District Court 3.

All work and no play

**JANICE ANN McKEE**
**Vocational Stenographic**
Girls' Glee 2; Booster Club 2,3,4; Office Staff 4.

**MARIA DOLORES MARIN**
**College Preparatory**
Choir 4; Student Council 4; Booster Club 4.

# Proms, Homework, Games

**LOIS JEANETTE MESCHKE**
**College Preparatory**
Band 2,3,4; Symphonette 4; Girls' Glee 2; Choir 3,4; Booster Club 2,3,4.

**BONITA BETA MIHULKA**
**College Preparatory**
Band — Majorette 2,3; Girls' Glee 2; Choir 3,4; Junior Octette 3; Senior Double Sextette 4; Vocal Solo 4; State Music Clinic 4; Operetta 4; GAA 4; Booster Club 2,3, Matie 4; Sweetheart Attendant 2; Class Treasurer 2; Snowball Attendant 4.

**KEITH F. MIHULKA**
**General**

**HART M. MIKKELSEN**
**College Preparatory**
Basketball 2; DECA 4.

**JOAN MARY MILLER**
**General**

**KATHY SUE MILLER**
**General**
Girls' Glee 2; Junior Librarians 2.

makes Brian a dull boy.

**MARY ANN MILLER**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2; Student Council 3,4; Annual Staff — Feature Editor 4; GAA 4; Booster Club 2, Squad Leader 3, President 4; Thespians 2,3,4; County Government — ASCS Agent 3; Homecoming Attendant 4.

**JERRY L. MIMICK**
**College Preparatory**
Football 4.

**NANCY JANE MOHLMAN**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2, Accompanist 2; Choir 3,4, Accompanist 4; Bell Choir 4; FTA 3, Historian 3; Booster Club 2, 3,4.

**DOUGLAS DEAN MOHRMAN**
**College Preparatory**
Football 2,3,4; C-Club 4.

# Won't Be Forgotten

**JERALD C. MORGAN**
**Vocational Agriculture**
FFA 2,3,4.

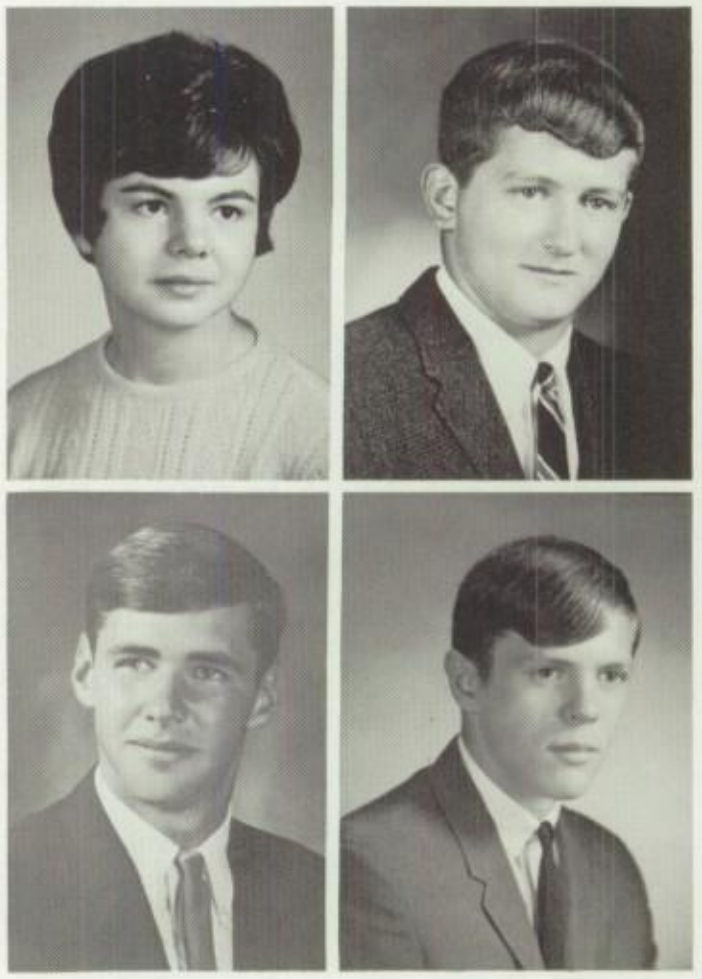
**MICHAEL DEAN MORKET**
**College Preparatory**
Choir 4; Classmen 4; Operetta 4.

**JOHN L. MOSS**
**College Preparatory**
DECA 4.

**BRUCE W. MUELLER**
**College Preparatory**
FFA 3, Vice-President 4; FFA-FHA King 4.

**DUAYNE K. MUHLE**
**General**
FFA — Sentinel 4.

**STEVEN DALE NARANS**
**College Preparatory**
Basketball 2; Track 2,3,4; Cross Country 2,3; Gymnastics 3; DECA 3,4.



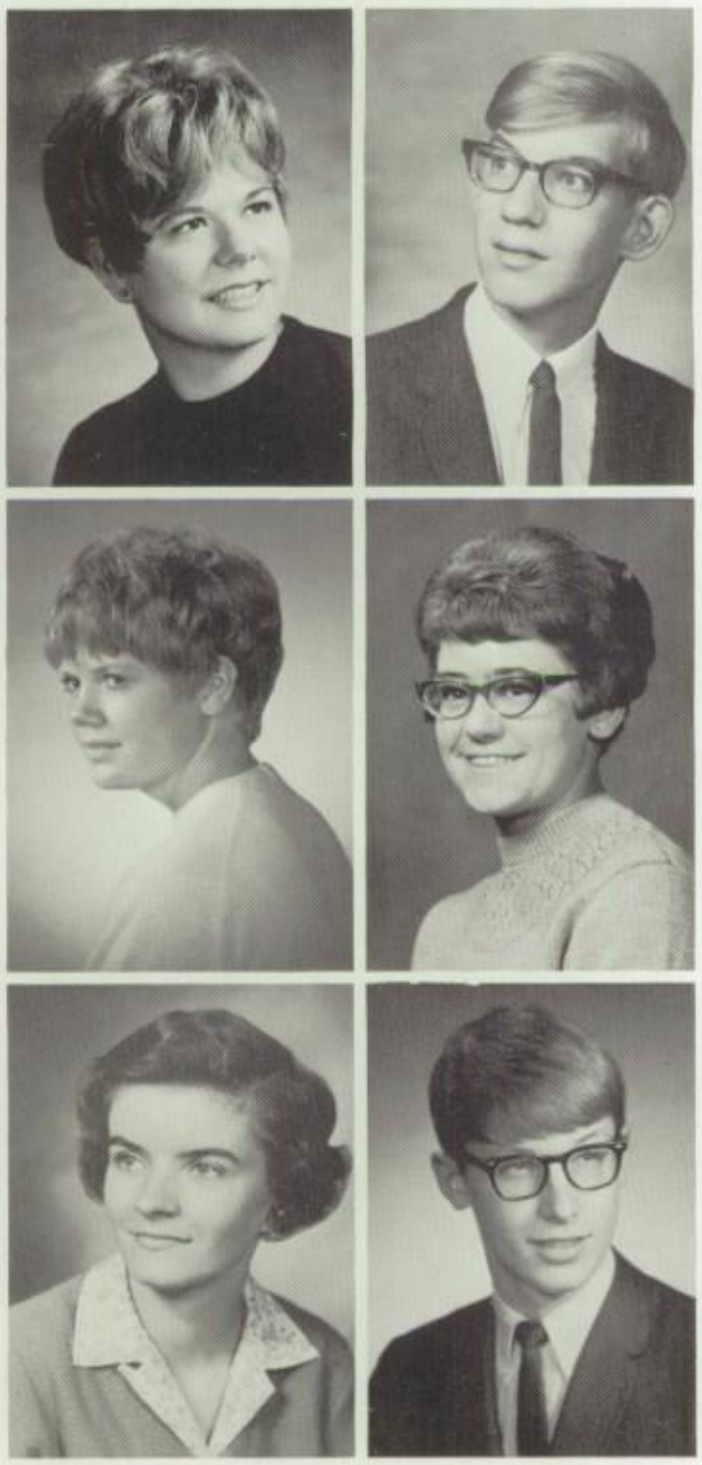
**DEBORAH LEE NELSON**
**College Preparatory**
Booster Club 2,3,4.

**GENE LYLE NYFFELER**
**College Preparatory**
Football 2,3,4; Wrestling 2,3,4; C-Club 2,3, Secretary- Treasurer 4; Homecoming Attendant 4.

**LARRY PAUL NYFFELER**
**College Preparatory**
Football 2,3; Basketball 2; Track 2,3,4; Wrestling 3; C-Club 3,4; Class President 3; Snowball Attendant 4.

**RICHARD CARLOS OLCOTT**
**College Preparatory**

# 1968 Was Year of



**MARY LOU OLSON**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2; Choir 3,4; FTA 3; Booster Club 2, 3,4; Thespians 2,3,4.

**DOUGLAS DAVE OPPLIGER**
**College Preparatory**
Band 3,4; Pep Band 3,4; Symphonette 4; County Government — Registrar of Deeds 3.

**RITA MAE OPPLIGER**
**College Preparatory**
Annual Staff — Faculty Editor 4; FTA 2,3, Vice-President 4; Booster Club 2,3,4; Junior Librarians — Treasurer 2; Thespians 3.

**CHERYL ANN OSTEN**
**Vocational Clerical**
Girls' Glee 2; Booster Club 2,3,4; Office Staff 4.

**SHERYL SUE PINNEY**
**General**

**VINCE PAUL PLACEK**
**College Preparatory**
County Government — ASCS Agent 3; DECA 3,4.

Seniors prove that there is never

**JOSEPH WAYNE POCWIERZ**
**General**
Football 2,3,4.

**LINDA KAY PODRAZA**
**Vocational Clerical**
Girls' Glee 2; Booster Club 2,3,4.

**NANCY ANNE POEFFEL**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2; Booster Club 2,3.

**GARY ALLEN POTTER**
**General**

# "Lasts" for Seniors

a dull moment at CHS.

**PEGGY ANN POTTER**
**College Preparatory**
Band 2,3,4; Pep Band 3,4; Sympnonette 3,4; Band Treasurer 4; Girls' Glee 2; Choir 3; Annual Staff — Assistant Copywriter 3, Copywriter 4; Booster Club 2,3,4; Thespians 2,3, Secretary 4; County Government — County Welfare Agent 3.

**WILLIAM JAMES PRESTON**
**General**
Choir 3; DECA 4.

**LINDA JEAN RAE**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2; Student Council 2,3,4; Annual Staff — Feature Editor 4; Booster Club 3, Cheerleader 2,4; Thespians 2,4, Scribe 3; Homecoming Queen 4; Class Vice-President 3; County Government — Treasurer 3.

**PHYLLIS HELEN RAFFERTY**
**College Preparatory**
Band 2,3,4; Pep Band 4; Flute Trio 3,4; Symphonette 4; Booster Club 2,3,4; FNA 2.

**LEE ANN RATHBUN**
**College Preparatory**
Band 2,3,4; Girls' Glee 2, Accompanist 2; Choir 3,4; Junior Octette 3, Senior Double Sextette 4; Vocal Solo 4; Booster Club 2,3,4; Thespians 4; Thespian Play 3, Student Director 4; All-School Play 4; All State 3; National Forensic League — President 4.

**ROY DAVID REINKE**
**Industrial Arts**

**STEPHEN THOMAS RILEY**
**College Preparatory**
Football 4; Track 4; Wrestling 4; C-Club 4.

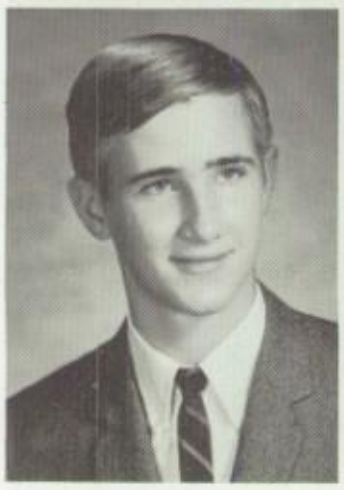
**TERRY JANE RODGERS**
**College Preparatory**
Band 2; FTA 4; Booster Club 2,3,4; Thespians 3,4; Thespian Play 4.

**RONALD DAVID ROMANEK**
**Vocational Marketing**
Band 2,3; Pep Band 3; DECA 4.

**DOUGLAS CARROL RUDAT**
**College Preparatory**
Football 2,3,4; Track 2,3; Wrestling 2,3,4; C-Club 2,3,4; Homecoming Attendant 4.

**MICHAEL F. RUEB**
**College Preparatory**

**CHARICE KAY RUMBAUGH**
**College Preparatory**
Choir 3,4; Student Council — Secretary 4; Annual Staff — Senior Co-Editor 4; GAA 4; Booster Club 3, Maties 4; Thespians 3.



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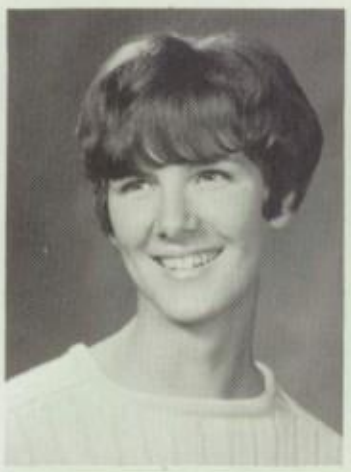
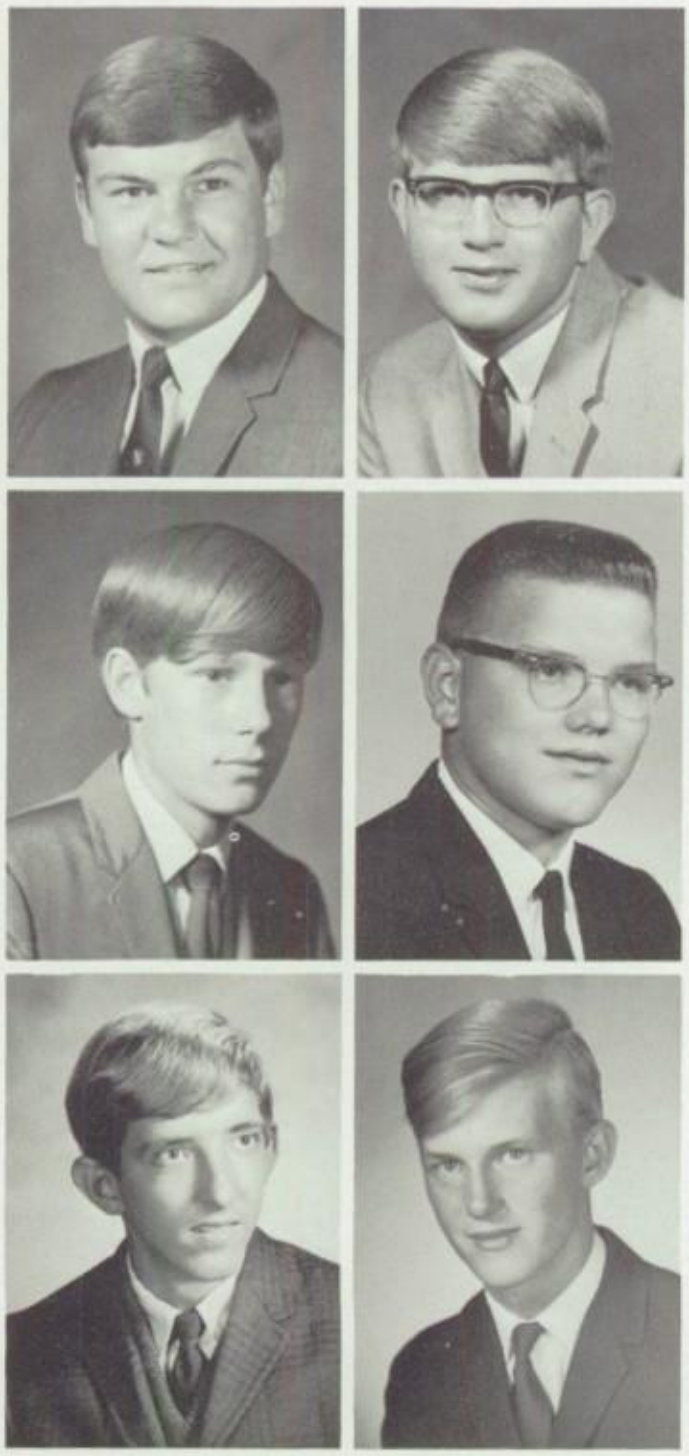


**KAREN ANN SCHAEFER**
**Vocational Clerical**
Band 2,3,4; Pep Band 3; GAA 4; Booster Club 2,3,4.

**MARY PATRYCE SCHEEL**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2; **The Discoverer** Staff — Editor 4; Booster Club 2,3,4; Junior Librarians 2; All-State — Journalism 3.

**CYNTHIA ANN SCHLEGELMILCH**
**College Preparatory**
Band 4; Choir 4; Booster Club 4.

**GARY L. SCHLESINGER**
**General**
Football 4; Wrestling 3,4; Band 2,3,4; Pep Band 2,3; C-Club 4; DECA 4.



**TODD GREGG SCHWANK**
**College Preparatory**
Football 2,3; Wrestling 2,3,4; Cross Country 4; C-Club 2,3,4; Shop Foreman 4; Class Secretary 2; Class President 4; County Government — Assessor 3; Snowball King 4.

**MICHAEL J. SCRIBNER**
**College Preparatory**
Football 2,3,4; Wrestling 4; Swimming 2,3; Band 2,3,4; Pep Band 2,3; Drum Quintette 4; Drum Solo 3; C-Club 3,4.

**EMERSON B. SEMPLE**
**College Preparatory**
Science Club 4; Stage Manager 4; Thespians 4; All-School Play 4.

**DONALD W. SIEH**
**Vocational Agriculture**
FFA 2, Sentinel 3, President 4; FFA-FHA Attendant 4.

**JAMES THOMAS SLADE**
**General**

**DONALD R. SLIVA**
**General**

# Tests Filled Many Hours

**RONALD JOSEPH SLIVA**
**Industrial Arts**

**DALE FRANKLIN SMEJKAL**
**College Preparatory**
Band 2,3,4; Pep Band 2,3,4; Symphonette 3,4; Cornet Quartette 3,4; Cornet Solo 4; Choir 2.

**LLOYD F. SMITH**
**Vocational Agriculture**
FFA 2,3.

**MARY EVELYN SOMMERMEYER**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2; Choir 3,4; Bell Choir 4; Annual Staff — Sophomore Editor 4; Science Club 4; Booster Club 2,3,4; Junior Librarians 2; Regents Scholarship Alternate 4.

**DAVID MARTIN SPEICHER**
**Industrial Arts**
Football 2,3; Track 2,3; Wrestling 3,4; Gymnastics 2; C-Club 3,4; Shop Foreman 4.

**CHRISTINE M. SPIDLE**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2; Choir 3,4; Student Council 2,3,4; Annual Staff — Assistant Layout Manager 3, Layout Manager 4; Booster Club 2, Squad Leader 3, Maties 4; Thespians 2,3,4; Sweetheart Attendant 3; Snowball Attendant 4.

**RAYMOND STARZEC**
**Industrial Arts**

**JOHN EMORY STAUB**
**College Preparatory**
Basketball 2,3,4; Cross Country 2,3; C-Club 4; Sweetheart Atendant 3; Class Vice-President 4; County Government — ASCS Supervisor 3.

**MARY BETH STEPHENS**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2; Choir 3; Annual Staff — Music-Dramatics Editor 4; Booster Club 2,3,4.

**LEE CHARLES STINSON**
**College Preparatory**
Wrestling 3; Tennis 2,3,4; Cross Country 4; Band 2,3, Vice-President 4; Pep Band 3,4; Symphonette 3,4.

Mrs. Herrod's English students can't bear to put away A TALE OF TWO CITIES.

# Long Awaited Graduation

**CHRISTINE LEE STOTTS**
**Vocational Stenographic**
Junior Librarians 3.

**MICHAEL HAROLD STUECK**
**General**
DECA 4.

**EDWARD JOHN SUMOVICH**
**Industrial Arts**
Football 2; Swimming 2; Projection Crew 4; Stage Crew 4; Shop Foreman 4.

**CONSTANCE MARIE SZUDLO**
**Vocational Stenographic**
Girls' Glee 2; Booster Club 2,3,4; Thespians 3.

**PATRICIA ANN TAYLOR**
**College Preparatory**
Choir 3,4; Senior Double Sextette 4; **The Discoverer** Staff — Business Manager 4; Booster Club 3,4.

**ROBERTA LEIGH TAYLOR**
**College Preparatory**
Booster Club 3,4.

**CHRISTIE KIM THORPE**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2; Choir 3, Librarian 4; Chordells 3, 4; Senior Double Sextette 4; Vocal Solo 4; State Music Clinic 4; Annual Staff — Department Co-Editor 4; Booster Club 2,3, Squad Leader 4.

**GARY E. TROFHOLZ**
**General**
Football 2.

**ROBERT CURTIS TYLER**
**General**

**LARRY S. VanACKERAN**
**College Preparatory**

# Finally Arrived . . .

**DENNIS LORAIN VanWINKLE**
**General**

**JANICE ANN VAVRICEK**
**College Preparatory**
Annual Staff — Organization Co-Editor 4; FTA 3, Secretary 4; Booster Club 4; Thespians 3,4.

**CHRISTINE EVELYN VLASAK**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2; Choir 3, Librarian 4; Senior Double Sextette 4; State Music Clinic 4; Annual Staff — Senior Co-Editor 4; Booster Club 3, Squad Leader 2, Secretary 4; Thespians 2; Thespian Play 2.

**DAVID EVERETT VOLLBRACHT**
**College Preparatory**
Football 2; Wrestling 3; Band 2,3,4; Pep Band 3,4; Symphonette 4; Trombone Quartette 3; Choir 2,4.

**BEVERLY ANN WALTERS**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2; FTA 3,4; Booster Club 2,3.

**LINDA LOUISE WALTER**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2; Booster Club 2,3,4.

**BONITA K. WAY**
**General**
FHA 4; Office Staff 4.

**CONNIE LOU WELCH**
**Vocational Stenographic**
Girls' Glee 2; Booster Club 2,3, Treasurer 4.

# And the Memories

**DEBORAH DIANE WILKE**
**Vocational Stenographic**
Girls' Glee 2; GAA 4; Booster Club 2,3, Matie 4; County Government — County Extension Agent 3.

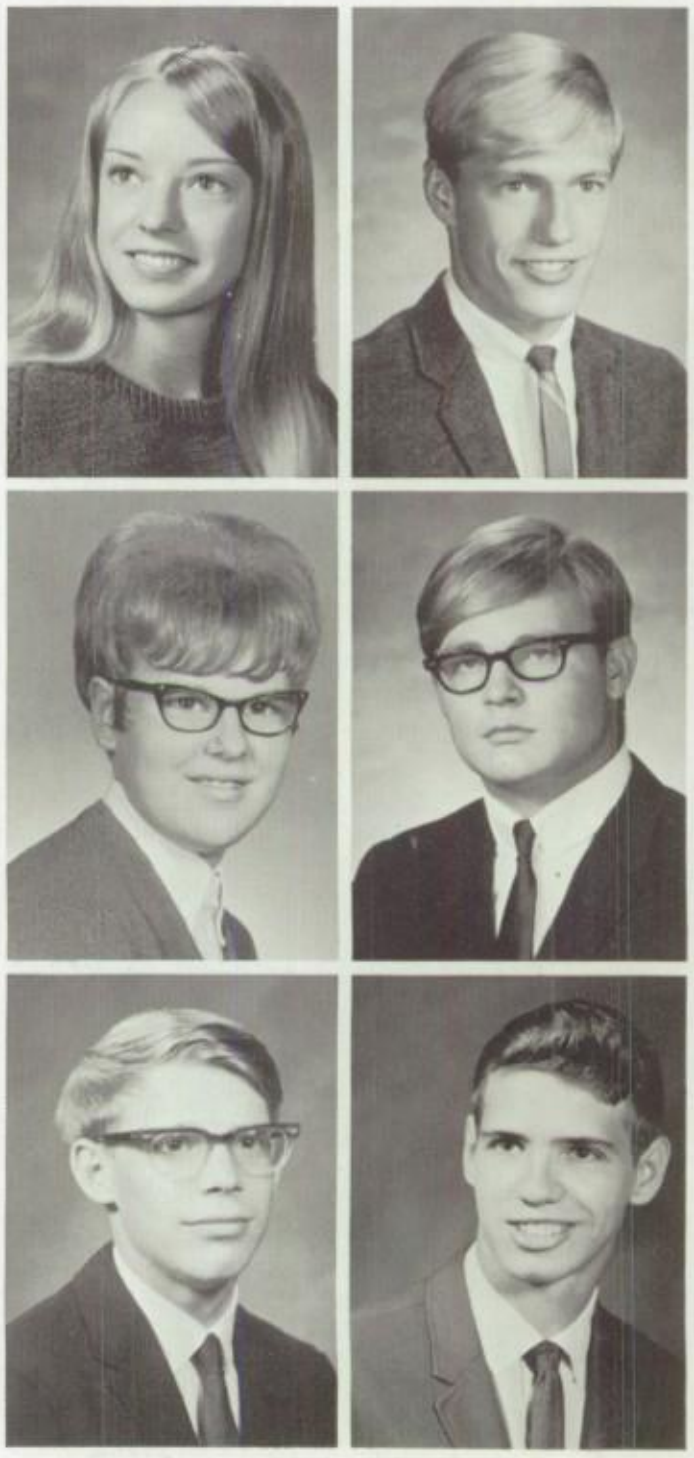
**CRAIG E. WILLIAMS**
**General**
Football 2,3,4; Track 2,3,4; Wrestling 3,4; Gymnastics 2; Choir 4; Classmen 4; C-Club 3,4; Homecoming Attendant 4.

**LAREE ANN WILSON**
**General**
FHA 2; Booster Club 2; Junior Librarians 2,4.

**ZANE SCOTT WISEMAN**
**General Preparatory**
Football 2,3,4; Swimming 3,4; Gymnastics 2; C-Club 3,4.

**STEVEN CHARLES WOERTH**
**College Preparatory**

**JEFFREY LYNN WOLFE**
**General**



**FRED WUNDERLICH**
**General**
Football 2,3; Track 3; Gymnastics 2.

**DANA ALFRED WURDEMAN**
**Vocational Agriculture**
FFA 2,3, Reporter 4; FFA-FHA Attendant 4.

**KEITH WILLIAM WURDEMAN**
**Vocational Marketing**
DECA 4.

**SUSAN MARIE WURDEMAN**
**College Preparatory**
Girls' Glee 2; Choir 3,4; Starlites 3,4; GAA 4; Booster Club — Cheerleader 2,3, 4; Thespians 2,3,4; Homecoming Attendant 4.

# Lingered On

**KENNETH EUGENE ZIMMER**
**College Preparatory**
Football 2,3,4; Track 2,3,4; Wrestling 3; Gymnastics 2; Student Council 2,4.

**JOHN R. ZOCHOLL**
**College Preparatory**
Football 2,3; Track 2; Swimming 3; Gymnastics 2; Student Council 2,4.

**DONALD DEAN ZULKOSKI**
**Industrial Arts**
Gymnastics 3,4; Projection Crew 4; Shop Foreman 4.

**DONNA MARY ZULKOSKI**
**General**
Girls' Glee 2; GAA 4; Booster Club 2,3,4.

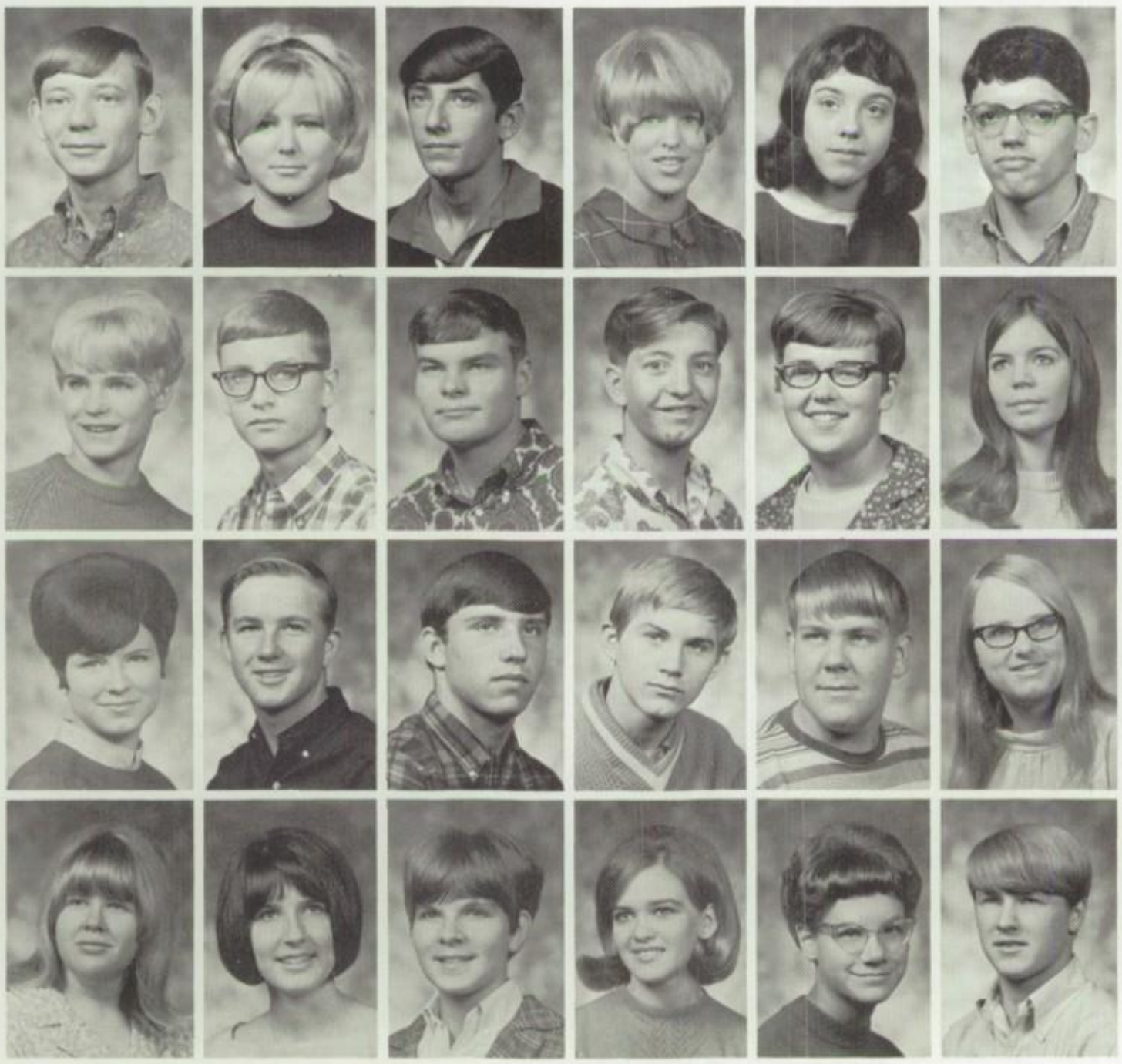
**JOSEPH L. ZWIENER**
**Vocational Marketing**
Projection Crew 3; Stage Crew 2,3,4; Thespians 2,3,4; DECA 4.

**CLASS SPONSOR**
Mr. Leon Sanders

**PRESIDENT**
George Johansen

**VICE-PRESIDENT**
Greg Warner

# Juniors Prepared



Ronald Abbott
Jane Abegglen
Randall Aldrich
Marilyn Ambrose
Lynita Anderson
Michael Ausman

Nancy Auten
Daniel Baumgart
Michael Baxa
Larry Bazer
Beverly Becher
Karen Bembry

Nancy Berchtold
Carroll Bernt
Richard Bernt
John Bialas
Michael Birkel
Betty Bitter

Kathleen Bitter
Karen Blessen
Rosemary Blessen
Judy Bock
Patsy Boettcher
Bill Bogus

**SECRETARY**
Yenni Gembol

**TREASURER**
Susan Folsom

**CLASS SPONSOR**
Mrs. Twila Wallace

# for Final Year

Lucy Boruch
Deborah Bremer
Allan Brockman
Donald Brouse
David Brown
Janet Brunken

Sarah Buchholz
Patricia Bukacek
Douglas Bullington
Nancy Bullock
Marilyn Burge
John Burns

Tom Cave
Craig Channer
David Chavanu
Pamela Chollar
Jeanette Christensen
Wendy Christensen

Robert Christiansen
Patricia Clausen
Kyle Collier
Conne Crebbin
Susan Cronin
Jackie Daniel

Deborah Davenport
Tom Deyke
Candace Dickenson

Peggy Donoghue
Dorothy Dostal
Steve Dreifurst

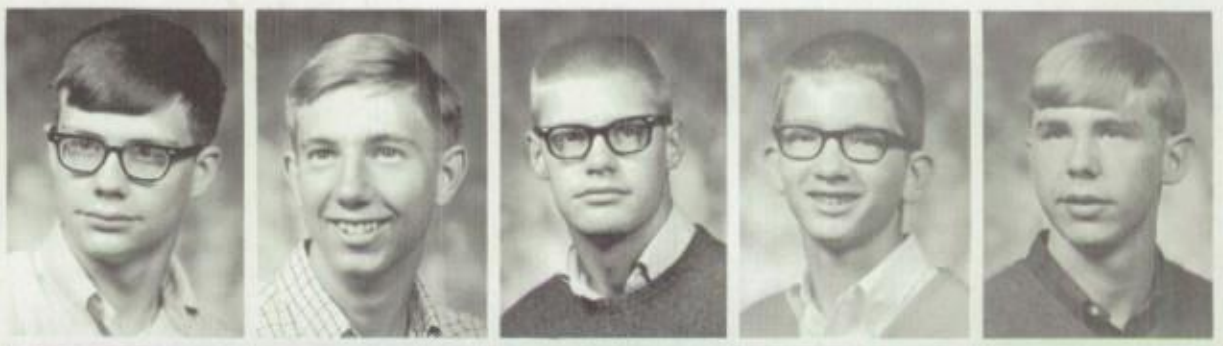
Kathelene Eckholt
Marsha Egger
Robert Egger

It's that time of the year

Mike,
You're a nice guy
with alot of pep (maybe
too much!) I loved to
hear you sing in chair. do it
again soon Lots of Luck Mike.
Linda

# Juniors Arranged Prom

Dave Eilers
John Eller
Tim Engel
Keith Engelmann
Michael Ernst



Joy Evans
Carol Falk
Patricia Foltz
Richard Foreman
Carolyn Foxworthy

Nick Frazer
Jane Fricke
Marilyn Fyfe
Clifford Galley
Darold Gehring

again, annual pictures.

Kris

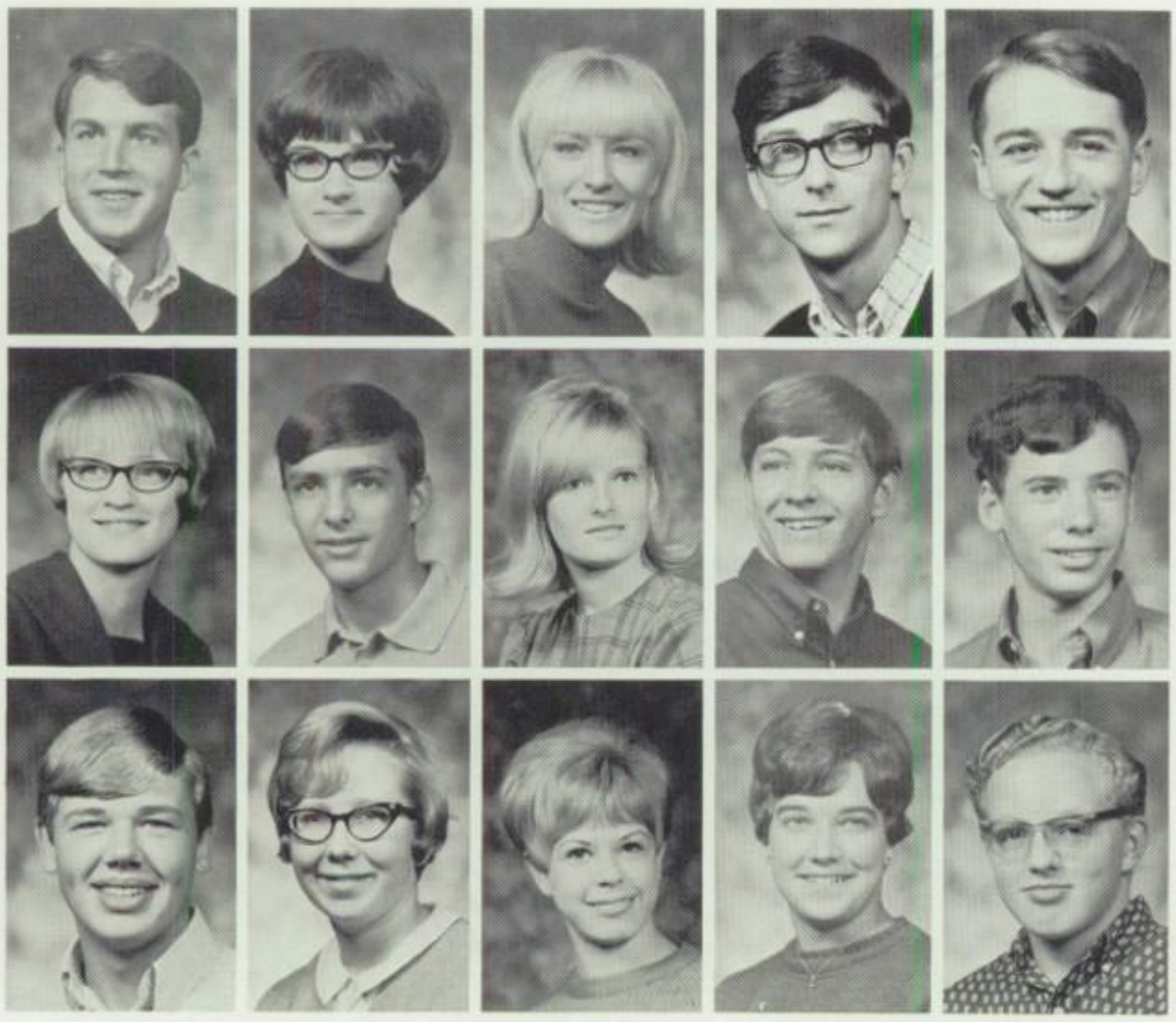
Kriste George
John Gerhold
Richard Gersib

William Gildea
Linda Gilmore
Carl Glaser

Linda Goetz
Donna Gonka
Paulette Gotschall

Mike,
To one of the greatest kids around good ole C.H.S.!!!
Always keep your sense of humor and winning smile.
Be good this summer
& Good Luck,
Kris

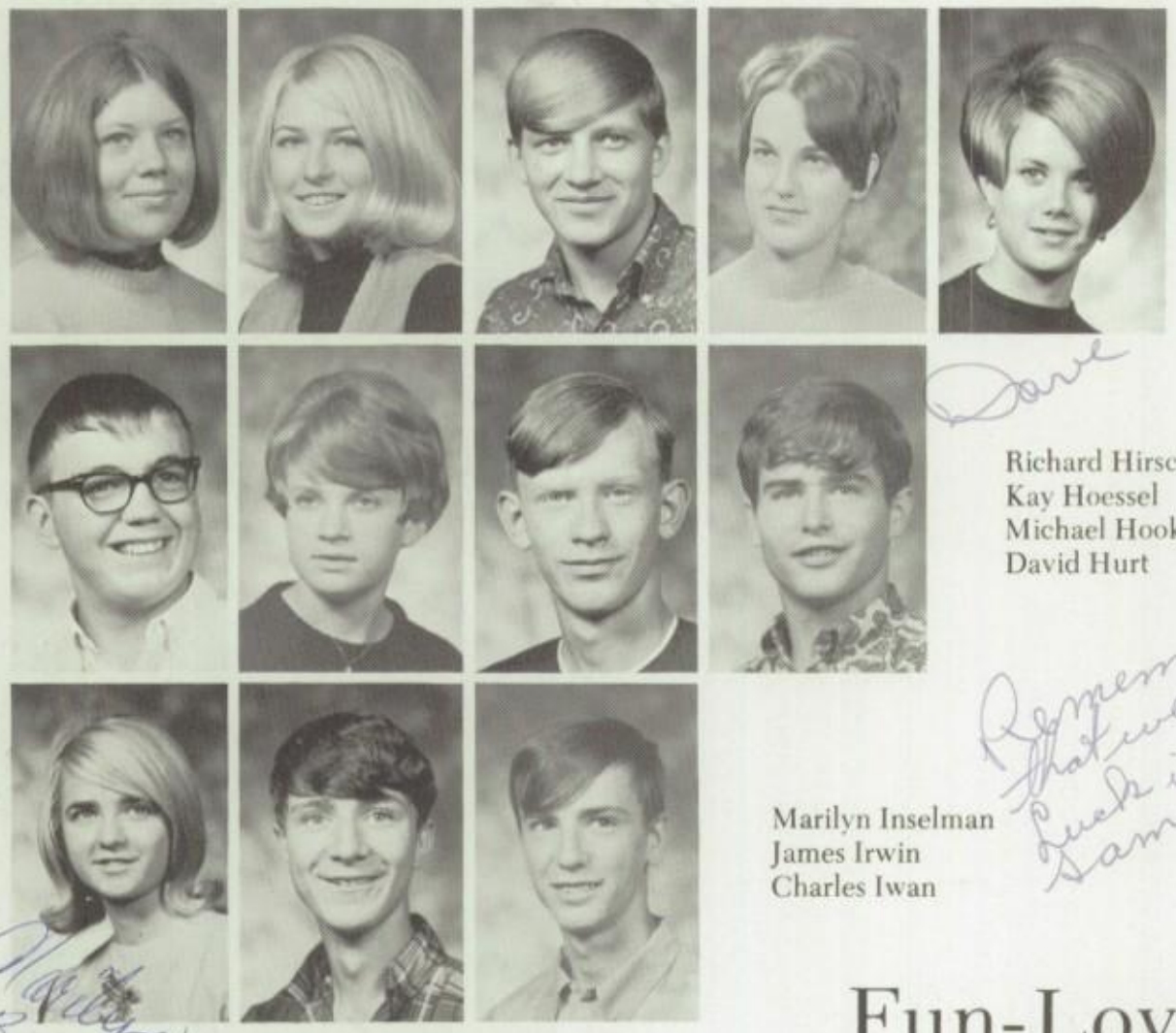
# for Departing Seniors



William Greene
Nancy Greenwald
Cheryl Guenther
Darryl Hadcock
Lester Hake

Marcia Hake
Steven Hall
Sharon Hanner
Stephen Hansen
John Harrington

David Hassebrook
Carolyn Hasselquist
Kathy Hecke
Nancy Hegi
John Heins

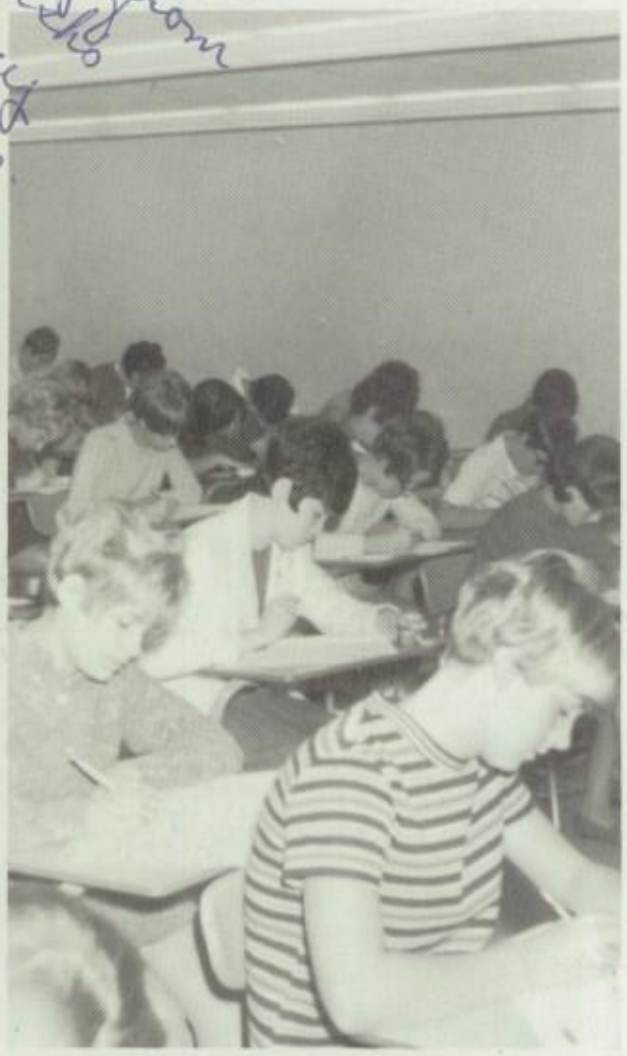


Jeannie Henggler
Katheryn Henke
Thomas Henninger
Jeanne Higgins
Pamela Hill

Richard Hirschbrunner
Kay Hoessel
Michael Hook
David Hurt

Marilyn Inselman
James Irwin
Charles Iwan

# Fun-Loving Class of '69



It's amazing what the powers of concentration can do.

John Jacobsen
Deborah Janssen

Patrick Jasper
Darcy Jaster

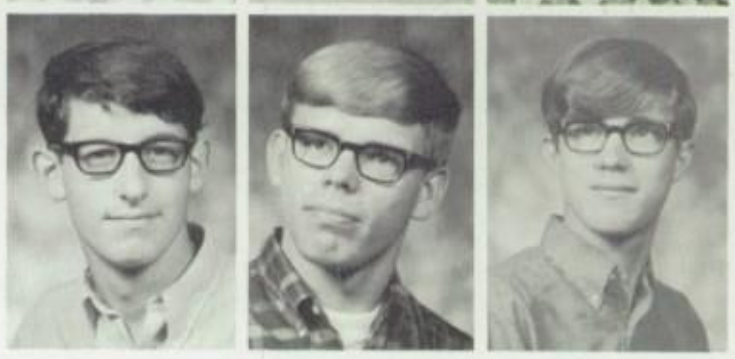
Scott Jensen
James Jicha

Dean Johnson
Jamie Johnson

Mark Johnson
Sharon Johnston
Boyd Jones
Deborah Joy
Bonnie Kallweit

James Kamrath
Keith Kapels
Janet Keller
Kristine Keller

Michael Kelly
Kevin Kennedy
Gerald Killham



# also Pursued Knowledge

Donald Kiser
Allen Kluever

Renee Klug
Steve Klutman

Laddie Kmoch
Michael Koch

Charles Koci
Lynda Kodad

Juniors undecidedly pick out class rings.

Carol Korte
Joyce Krepel
Debbie Kresha
Connie Krueger

Patricia Kudron
Eugene Kuhn
John Kuta
Leon Kuta

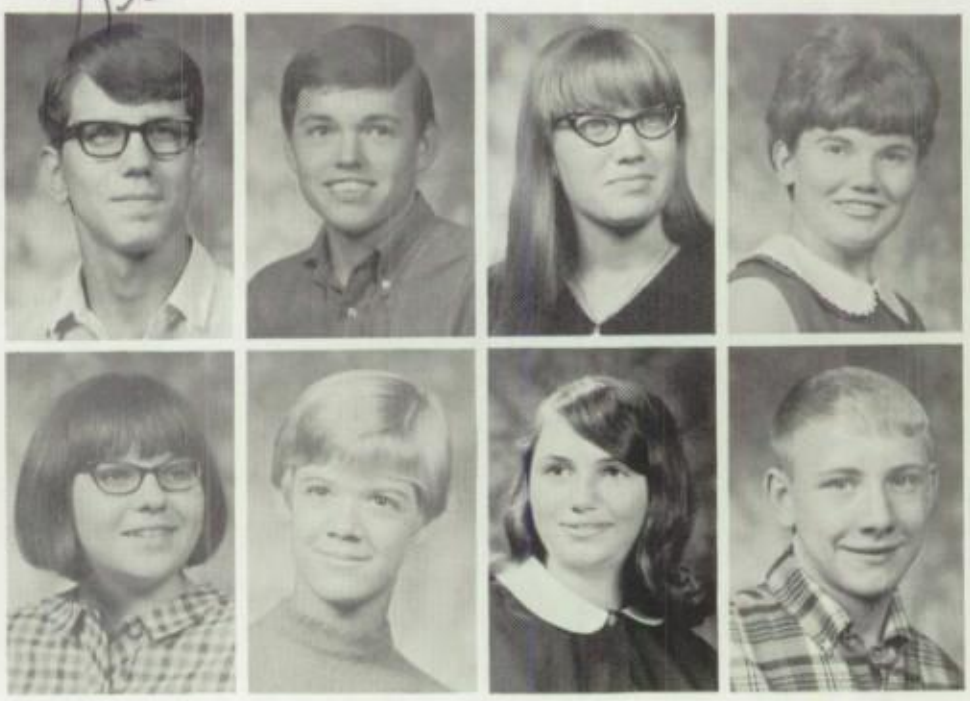
John Labenz
Lonnie Larsen
Jeanne Lemke
Jerome Lindbo

Mike
Have a great
future in whatever
you do. I guess I will
see you next year.
"69"
Ken

# Time was Found for

Kenneth Liss
Steven Long
Judith Longman
Deborah Loseke

Jean Loseke
Linda Luchtel
Dona Luckey
William Lusche



James Magnuson
Onno Mahlin
Corrie Maurer
Dennis McCollum

Linda McCormack
Darrel McKathnie
Jacqueline McNair
Eugene Micek

Bonita Michener
Dana Mielak
Victoria Mihulka
Kenneth Moersen

# Expanding Activities

Barbara Mohrmann
Scott Mohrman
James Moore
Barbara Moran

Mike Morris
Peggy Mostek
Linda Mueller
Rodney Muller

Mike-
To a real great kid with a fabulous personality. Never forget the times backstage during the play. Best of luck in everything. Have fun this summer. God Bless You.

Linda Mueller.

Russel Mummert
Richard Munson
Gloria Muth
Joseph Nelson

Linda Nickolite
Derrol Nitz
Thomas Obrist
Daniel O'Connor

James Olson
Roger Oppliger
Stephen Oppliger
Janice Overturf

# Class Rings Focused

Bonnie Paprocki
Kenneth Pensick

Sharon Peppler
Glenn Phillips

Randy Pichler
Janette Pieper

The Islander's game

Michael Plugge
Frank Pollock
Patricia Potter
Gail Poublon

Norma Prosiski
Cathy Rains
Maurice Rayburn
Christine Raymond

Sue Recek
Patricia Reeves
Renee Reinke
Donna Rezac

Mike,
Well Mike,
I guess we've made
it thru another year.
You're a great guy
and I'm sorry you
won't be here next
year. Take care
of yourself and
come back here &
look all your friends
up when you've got
time. May God bless,
Sue

Mike,
Well Mike, I hope you like Beatrice
as well as we at C.H.S. liked you!
Best of luck & May God Bless ya!
Pat

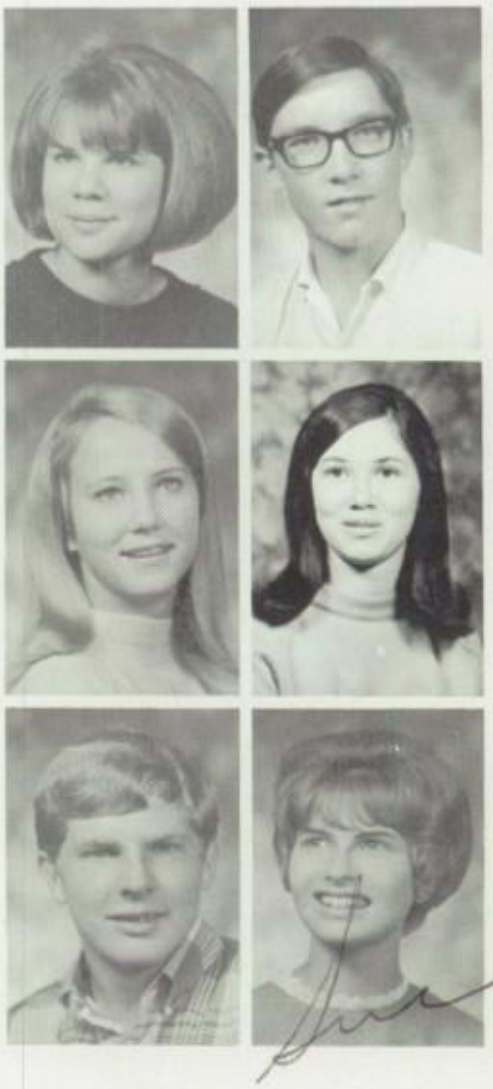
# Toward the Final Year

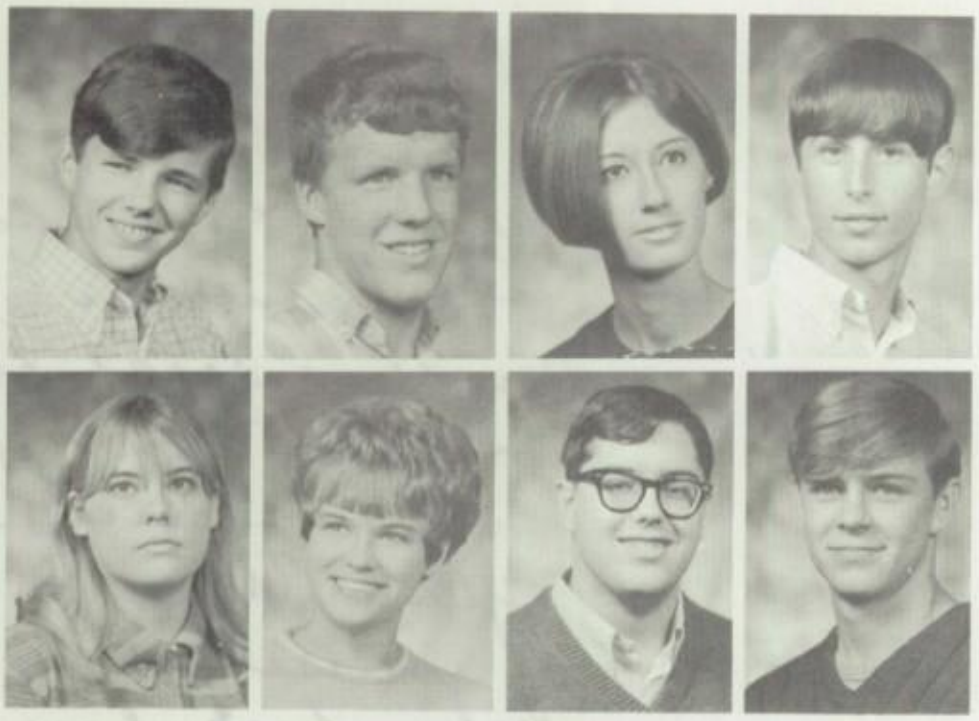
is next week?

Barbara Rood
Stanley Rosendahl

Paula Rowe
Darlis Rupp

Layne Sander
Sue Sander





James Santage
Gary Schaefer
Amy Schaffer
Steven Schmidt

Jackie Schneider
Carol Schroeder
Daniel Schroeder
Tom Schwank

# PSAT, ITED Tests Helped

Michael Schwenk
David Sedlacek
Laverne Siemek

Nancy Siems
Mary Sims
Janet Sliva

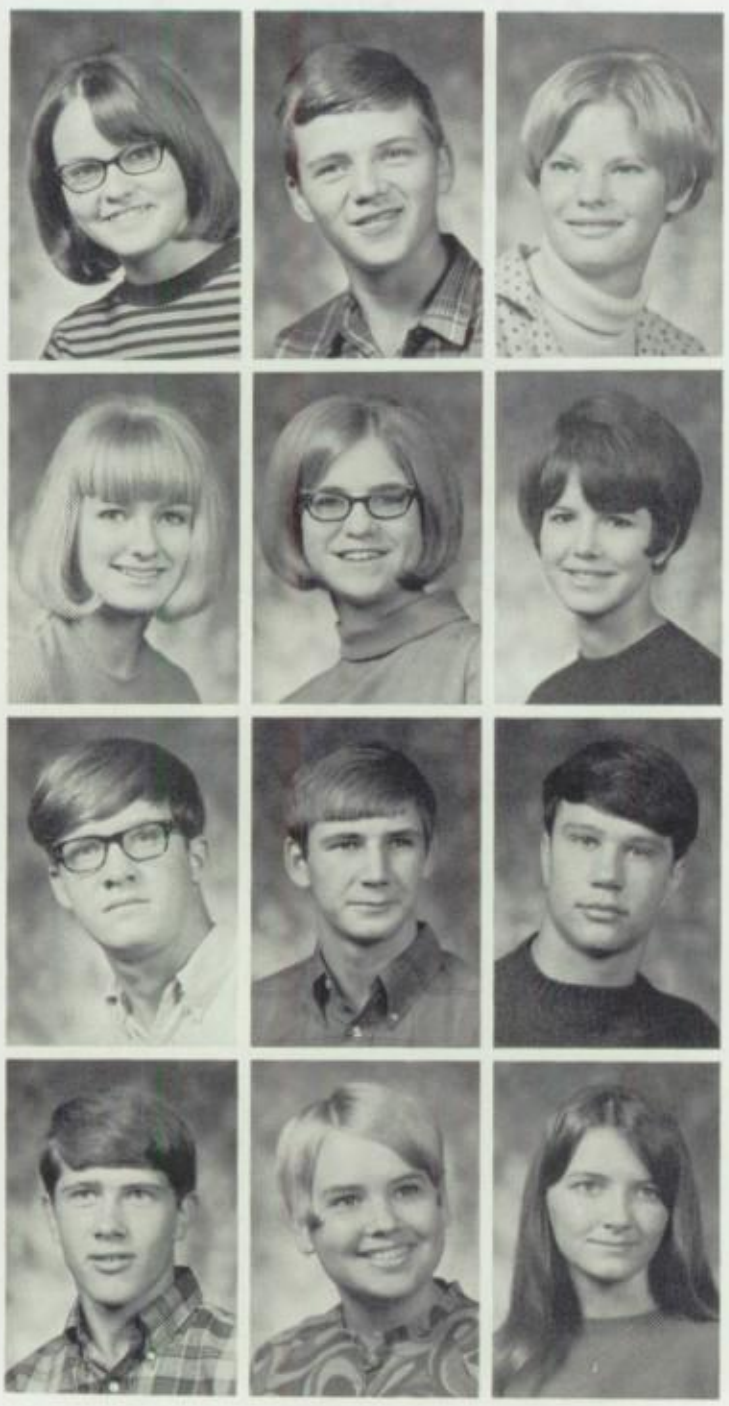
Terry Sliva
Karen Smith
Steve Sokol

Mary Soulliere
Lynn Speicher
Catherine Stark

Michael Starkey
Terri Staroscik
Yvonne Steenbock
Vickie Svoboda

Jeanne Swanson
Ronald Taylor
Douglas Terry
Randy Tharnish

# Uncover Fields of Interest



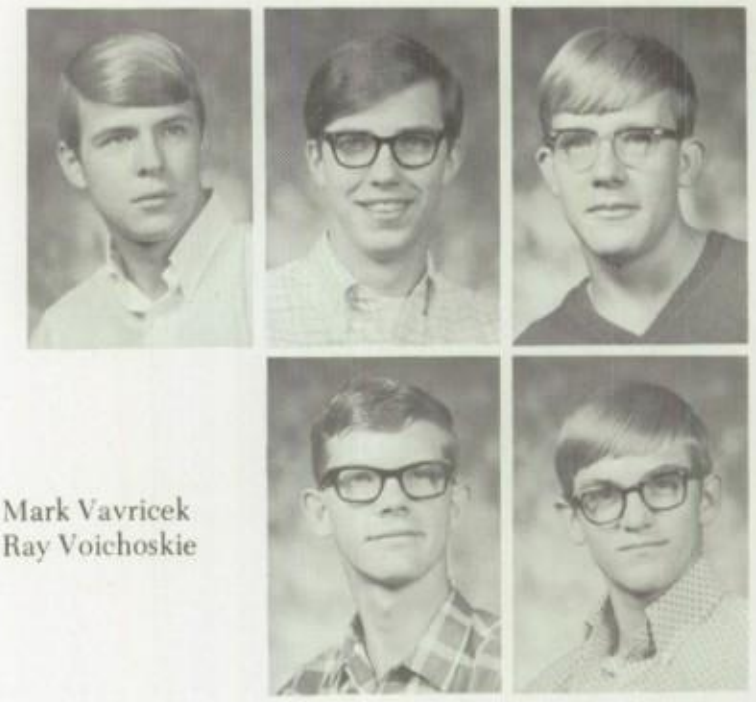
Janet Theilen
LeRoy Theilen
Christine Thomas

Darly Thorpe
Kathleen Thraen
Norma Tiaden

David Torczon
Robert Tredway
Terry Trofholz

James Tubbs
Kathy Turner
Mary Tworek

James Valasek
Rodney VanAllen
Terry VanDiest



Mark Vavricek
Ray Voichoskie

Mike,
Sorry you're moving but don't forget the years at good ol' CHS. always remember all the fun in Jr. high and Senior high. take it easy on the boys at wellsee ya sometime
Keith

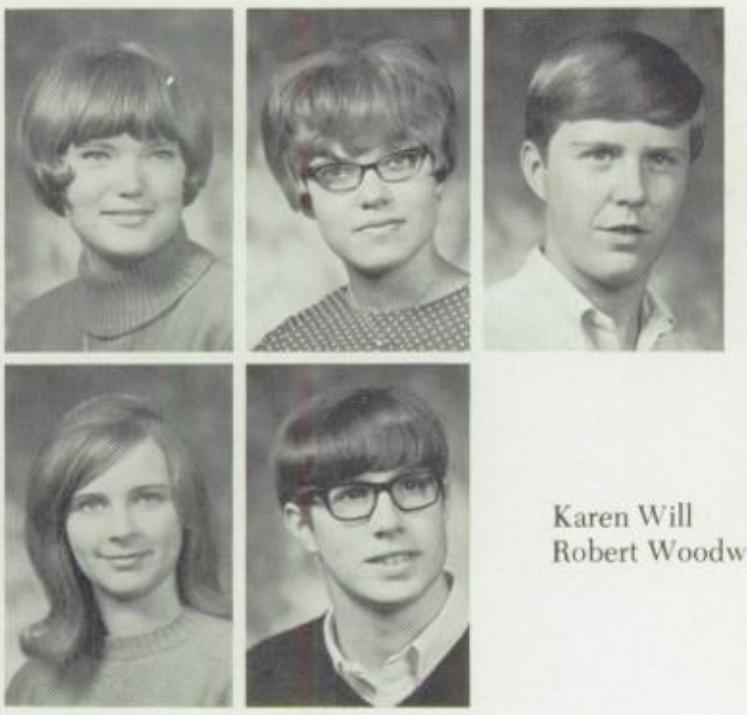
# Juniors, Having Been Part of the

Mike
to a great kid to mess around with in shop. Good luck in the future
Terry
69

Diane Vybiral
Keith Wagner
Cindy Wake
Kathy Waldman
Bonnie Watchorn

Debbie Weeder
Donna Welch
Deborah Wergin
Dona Wertz
William Wertz

Dora Westerbuhr
Susan Wetjen
James Wilcynski
Galen Wilke
Gloria Wilke



Lenore Wilke
Vickie Wilke
Jack Wilken

Karen Will
Robert Woodworth

# Crowd, Await Seniority with Anxiety

"Hey, you guys, he's in here!"

Linda Wright
Ronnie Wruble
Jerald Wunderlich
Patricia Zerr
Annette Ziemba

Joan Ziemba
Don Zimmer
Ruth Zimmerman
William Zobel
Alice Zywiec

**CLASS SPONSOR**
Mr. Chris Dixon

**PRESIDENT**
Terry Rogers

**VICE-PRESIDENT**
David VanderPloeg

# Class of '70 Adapted

Sandra Adams
Dayle Alswager
David Anderson
Kenneth Anderson
Michael Applegate
David Athey

Patricia Augustine
Kathleen Avery
Merl Babb
Connie Baldwin
David Bargmann
Richard Bartholomew

Joanne Beck
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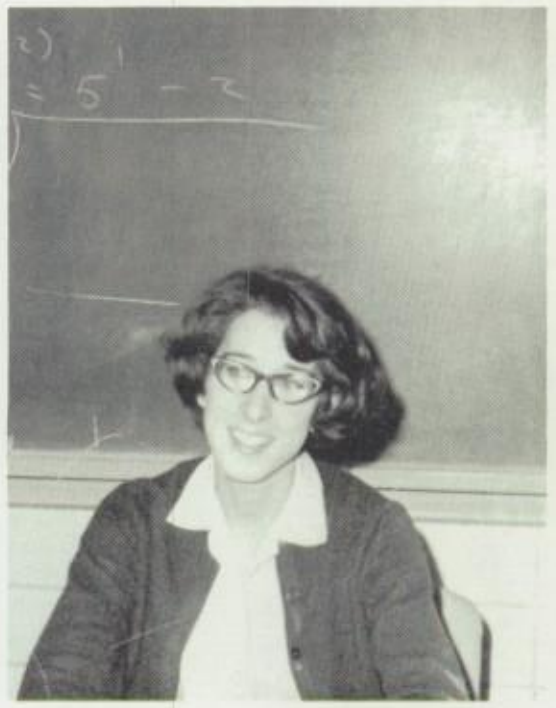
Barbara Behle
James Behle
Joseph Bejvancesky
Brad Berlin

**SECRETARY**
Jane Hoge

**TREASURER**
Steven Hoganson



**CLASS SPONSOR**
Miss Judith Owens

# to New Surroundings

Cathy Bernt
Daniel Bernt
Christine Bonk
Barbara Boss
Barbara Braithwait
Eugene Brakenhoff

Larry Brakenhoff
Robert Bridgmon
Frank Brinkman
Kathie Brouse
Michael Brown
Nancy Brubaker

Candice Brunken
Ruth Brunken
Stuart Bullington
Steven Burroughs
Cheryl Buss
Dianne Carr

Donna Cattau
Loren Cattau
Deborah Christianson
Thomas Clabaugh

Jerry Clausen
Cynthia Cline
Jean Coffey
Jerry Colfack

Barry Conyers
Barry Cook
Kirk Coover
Glenn Cox

# Sophs Promised the Spirit

Cheri Cumming
Virginia Curry
Maxine Cyza
Andy Danielski
Peggy Dankert

Donna Davidson
Gary Davis
Kyle Davy
Janice Deckert
Jean Dicke

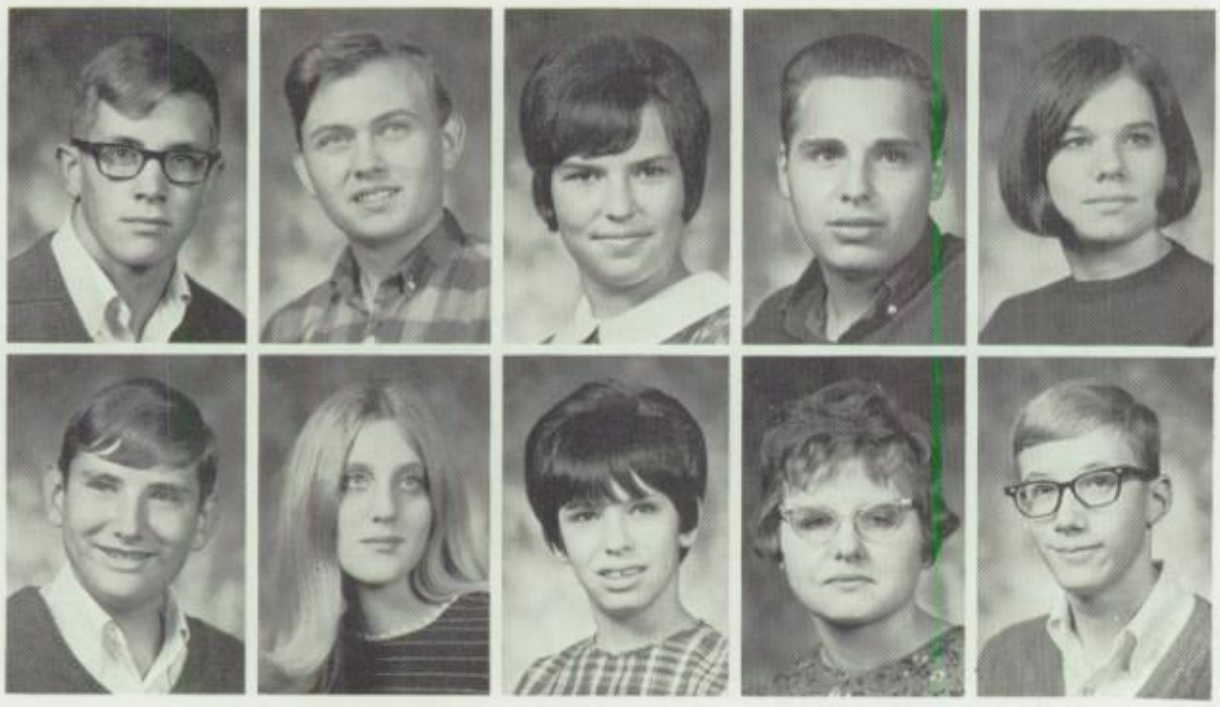
Charley Dickey
Steven Dierberger
Teresa Drozd
Douglas Dumas

Dwight Duncan
Conrad Dush
Mary Jane Dush
Michael Dush

Kathleen Eggli
JoAnn Eickhoff
Beverly Engel
Diana Engelmann

MIKE
TO A GREAT DRAFTSMAN
OF CHS. It's been a little
bit of heaven just knowing
you (A BDAMN LITTLE BIT)
GOOD LUCK
Jeff Hoge

# Characteristic of CHS



Steven Eymann
Robert Fisher
DiAnn Fittje
Thomas Fix
Jean Fleischer

Charles Frey
Angie Friedlan
Patricia Frost
Deanna Galley
James Gates

Linda Gay
David Gdowski
Karleen Gigstad
Ruth Goetz
Michael Golden

Randall Grassmeyer
Rozan Graus
James Greiner
Patricia Greunke
Beth Grotelueschen

# Sophomores Surprised

JoAnn Groteluschen
Kathleen Hadley
Dale Hake

Dennis Hall
Randall Hall
Jeannie Hanak

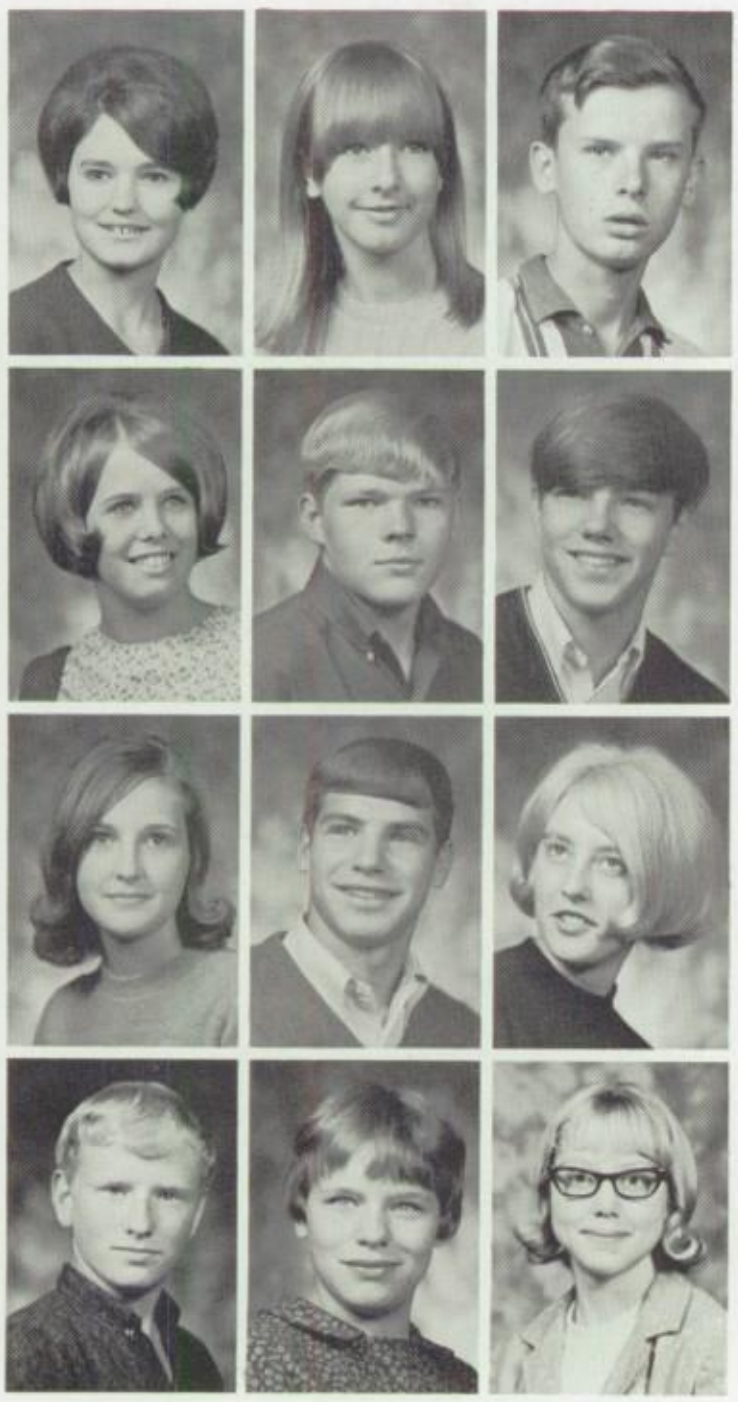
Terry Harral
Dale Hassebrook
Richard Hasselbalch

Cassandra Heidy
Jeanne Heins
Patricia Heiser

Gary Hellbusch
Wanda Hellbusch
Susan Henke
Daryl Henry
Steven Herfkins

Richard Herr
Darlene Hespe
Sheila Hilger
Richard Hladik
Frederick Hollman

# by New-Found Freedoms



Vicki Honke
Sandra Hopkins
Duane Horak

Mary Horton
Douglas Hurner
Mark Ihde

Stephanie Iwan
Michael Jacobs
JoAnne Jaeggi

Thomas Jaeggi
Diane Janssen
Karen Jensen

Leroy Johannes
Stanley Johannes
Bernard Johansen
David Johnson
Earl Johnson

Gregory Johnson
Ruth Johnson
Murry Johnson
Deborah Jones
Diane Joseph

# Sophomores Became Involved

Roger Kapels
Gary Kelley
Dian Kelly

David Kincaid
Marilyn Kinzer
Brenda Klevemann

Douglas Kline
Gregory Klug
Debra Klug

Ronald Klug
Marilynn Koch
Marjorie Kohlmeier

Who says I

Enid Korte
Monette Korte
William Korthouse
Michael Kosinski
Marval Kreft

Doris Krepel
James Kresha
Marvin Krings
Christine Kripal
Deanna Krueger

# in Activities of CHS

can't draw!

Janelle Krumland
Steven Kruse
Randy Kudron

Robert Labenz
Joyce Lange
Sharon Lannan

Linda Larsen
Patricia Larsen
Cynthia Loseke

Paul Louis
Charlotte Lovell
Lee Lovell

Larry Luchtel
Catherine MacFarland
Mary Beth Marshall
Donn Mattock
Larry Maurer

Paula Mazuch
Gary McCormack
Timothy McDonald
Douglas McGee
Joe McKown

William McNeely
William Menke
Tarris Meyer
Nancy Micek
Terry Micek

# Sophs Learned New

Timothy Micek
Tamara Mielak
Fred Mihulka

Yvonne Mihulka
Karen Miller
Pamela Mills

Dona Mimick
Gary Modelski
Stephen Moersen

Is school

Marla Mohlman
Diane Mohr
Larry Mueller
Tom Murphy
Brian Nelson

Lyndon Nelson
Scott Nelson
Michael Newton
Larry Nickolite
Donna Nitz

Peggy Nitz
Connie Norris
Marsha Nyffeler
Sandra Oakeson
Pamela Odgaard

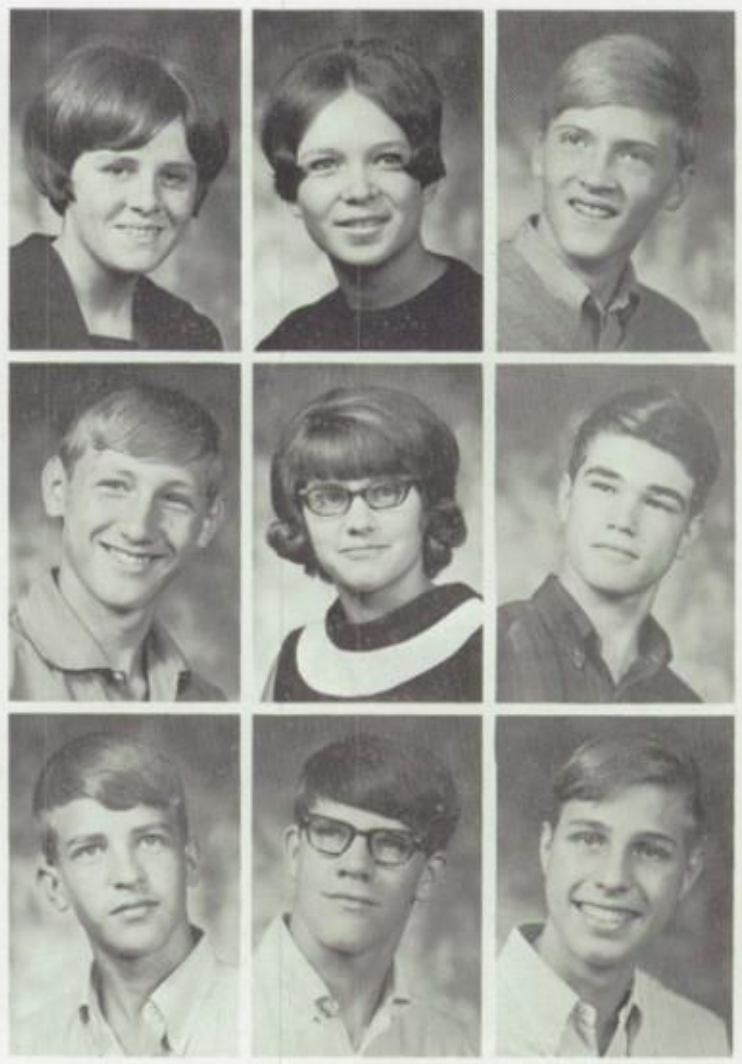
# Skills, New Abilities

out yet?

Beverly Olander
Leta Oppliger
Roy Orr

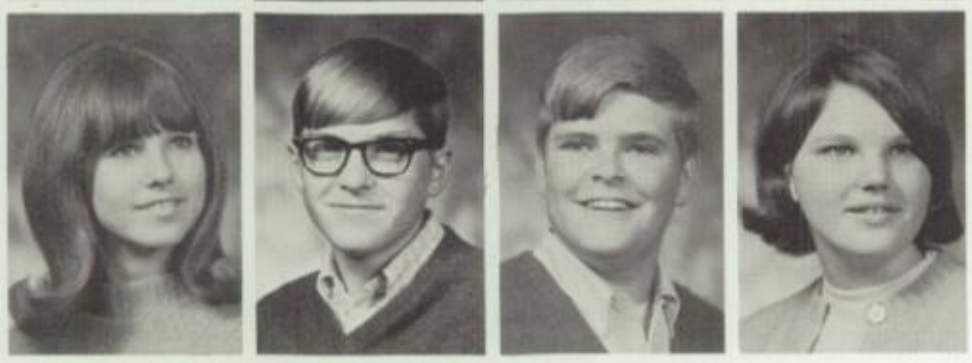
Dennis Osten
Liela Osten
Neil Osterhoudt

John Palmblade
Jerry Paproski
Steve Patrick



Loreda Person
Dale Peterson
Debbie Pfeifer
Sherry Plugge
Ted Pocwierz
Robert Podraza

Duane Poeffel
Ladonna Porter
Michael Porter
Diane Prososki
Connie Ptacek



Debbie Rabourn
William Rafferty
Randy Rawhouser
Susan Reese

# Sophomores Brought Invasion

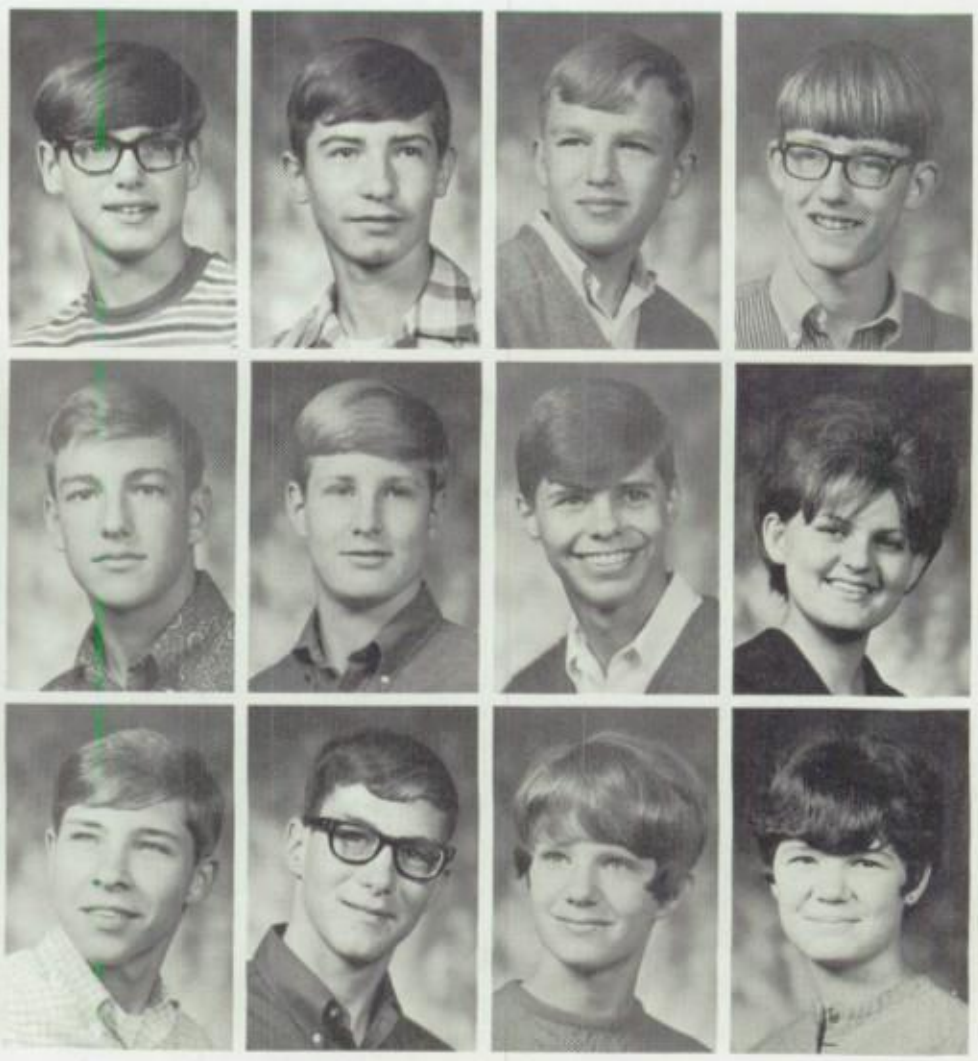
Jeff Rice
Linda Rice
Thomas Rich
Pat Rickert
Terry Rickert

Jerre Riley
Darla Rosendahl
Kay Rudat
Arlynn Runge
Candice Runge

Dale Ryba
Randy Saafeld
Peggy Santage
James Schaefer
Timothy Schaefer

Glenda Schmid
Patti Schmitz
Christine Schwartzer
Michael Schwartzer
Roger Seefeld

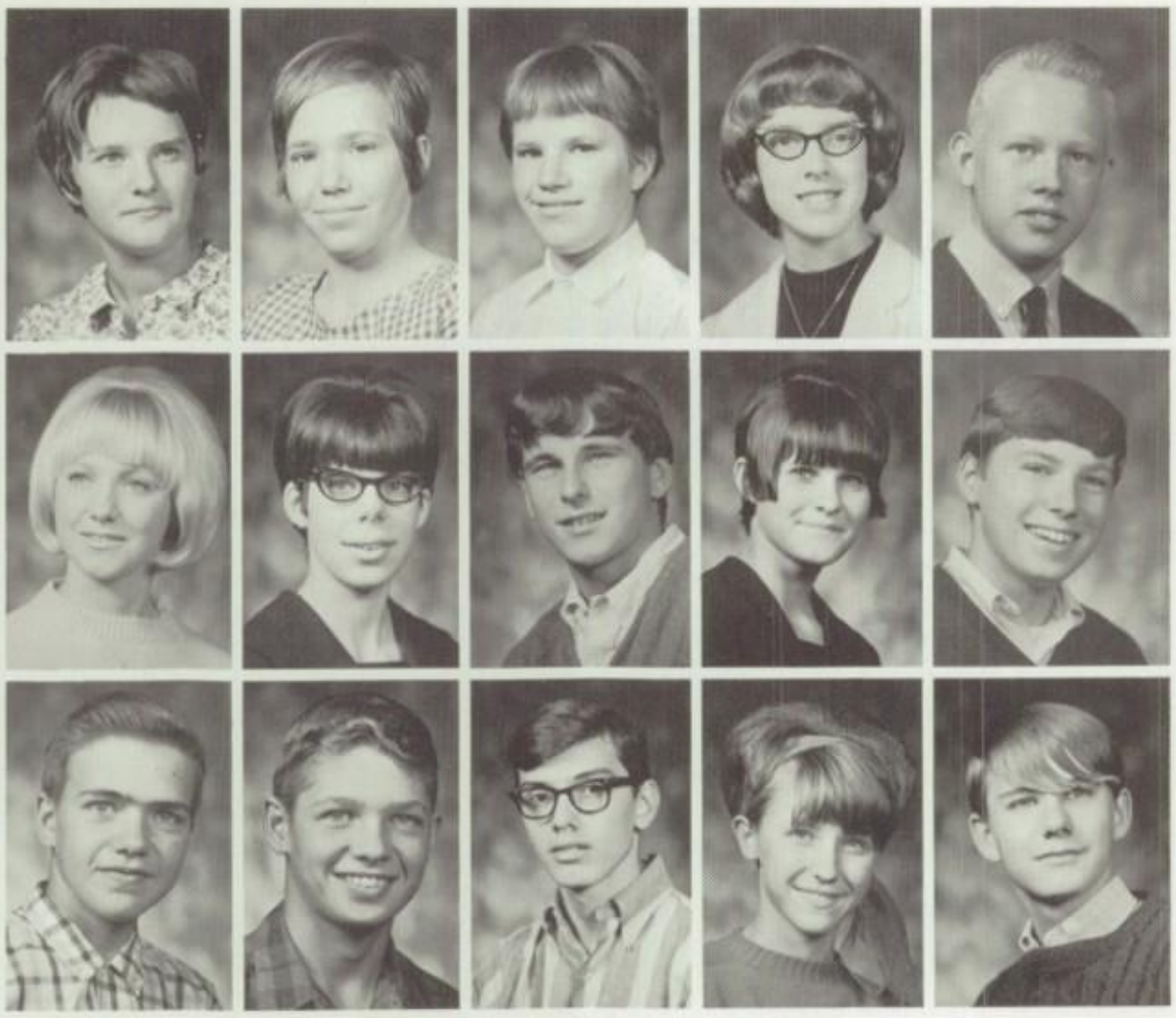
# of New Fads and Faces



David Semm
Jerome Sempek
Stephen Shank
Robert Shaw

Mary Shuler
Freddie Siefken
Steven Slonecker
Greg Small
Colleen Smith

Kerry Smith
Randy Smith
Scott Smith
Rebecca Soulliere
Peggy Speicher



Beverly Spradly
Louise Staroscik
Theresa Staroscik
Carol Stotts
Lyle Stubbert

Laurie Sutton
Robin Swanson
David Syslo
Jean Syslo
Timothy Tarnick

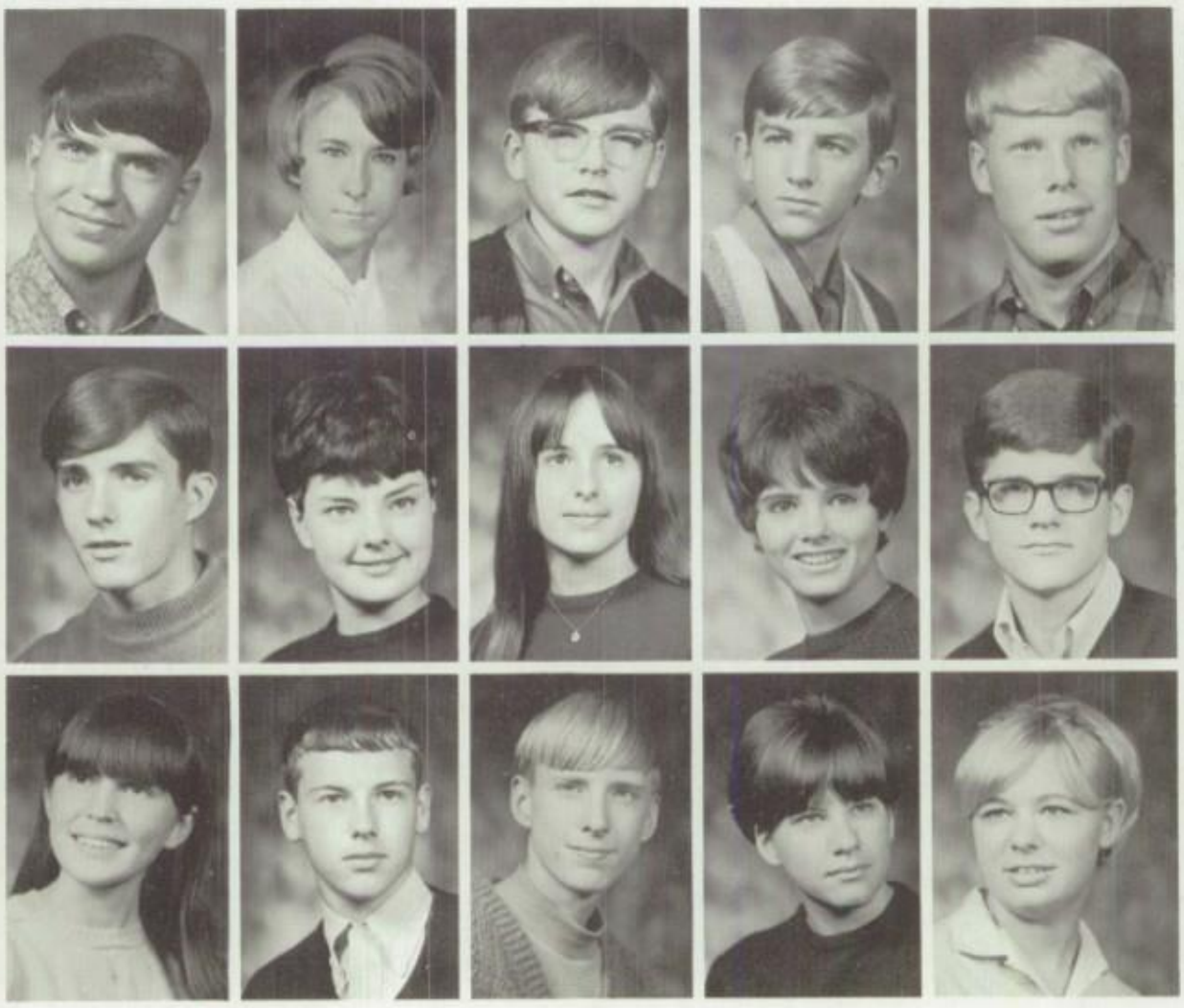
Eldon Theilen
Glenn Theilen
Dean Thompson
Cynthia Torson
William Tredway

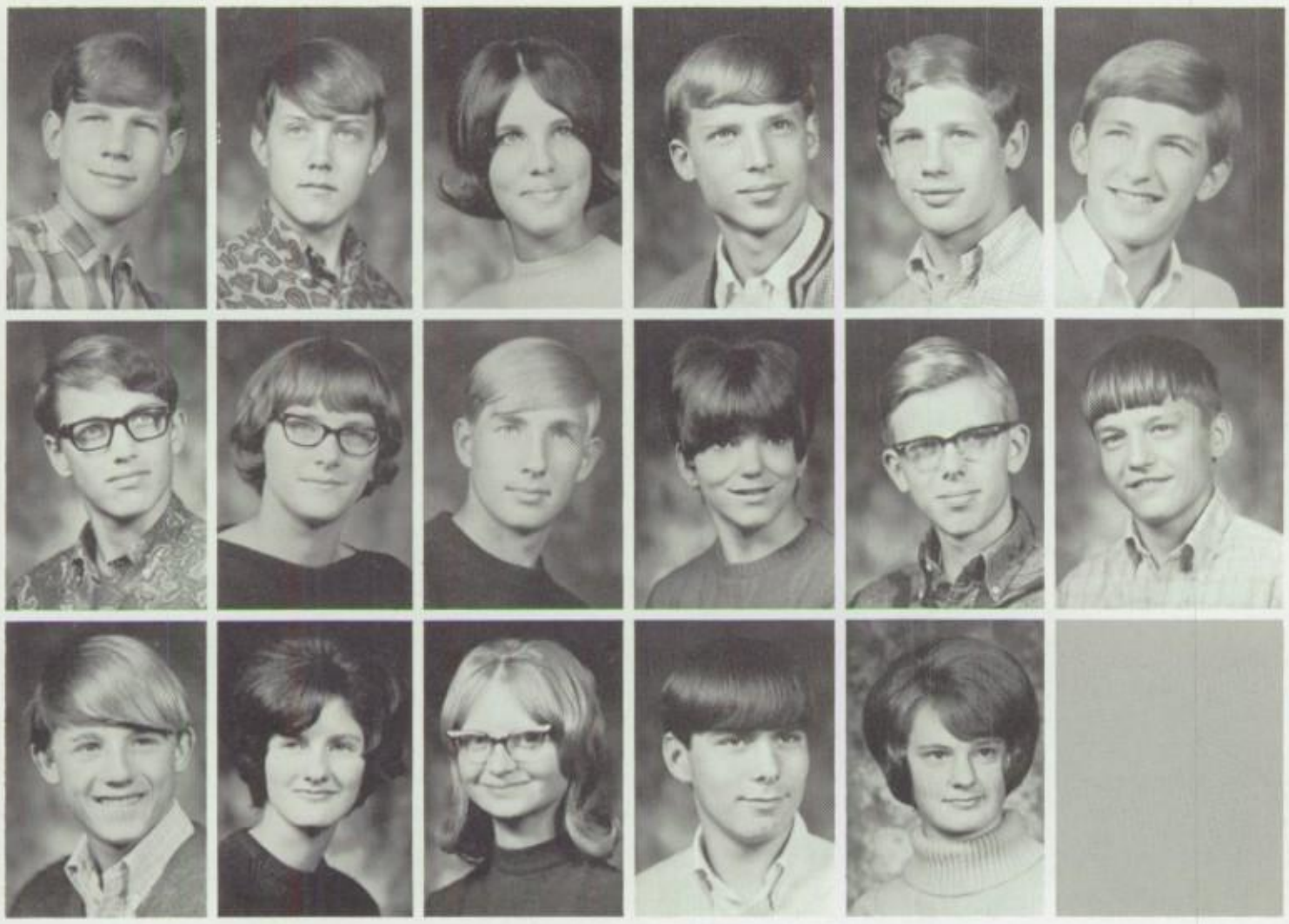
# Mixed Emotions Filled

Russell Tschauner
Judi Tworek
Ronald VanDyke
Clarence Voichoskie
Dennis Vollbracht

Steven Vrana
Jackie Vybiral
Gayle Waite
Linda Wake
Donald Walla

Sunsary Wallis
Ronald Walters
David Want
Kathy Wessel
Jean Wiedner





Stephen Wielgus
Theodore Wiese
Kristin Williams
Paul Woerth
Mark Wolfe
Michael Wozny

Weylin Wurdeman
Karen Yanders
David Zastera
Christine Zimmer
Robert Zimmerman
David Ziola

Paul Zobel
Rita Zobel
Sheryl Zuroski
David Zybach
Beverly Hellbusch

# Hearts of Student Body

Barbara Brenner
Janice Debus

Dona Sliva
Vicky Debus

Carolyn Ekstrand
Mark Mueller
Dean Oberle

**IN MEMORY OF**
**MICHAEL KOSINSKI**
**March 3, 1952 — February 7, 1968**

**IN MEMORY OF**
**STEVE BALDWIN**
**December 10, 1949 — March 5, 1968**
He would have graduated with the Class of '68.

COLUMB

Hi Mike,

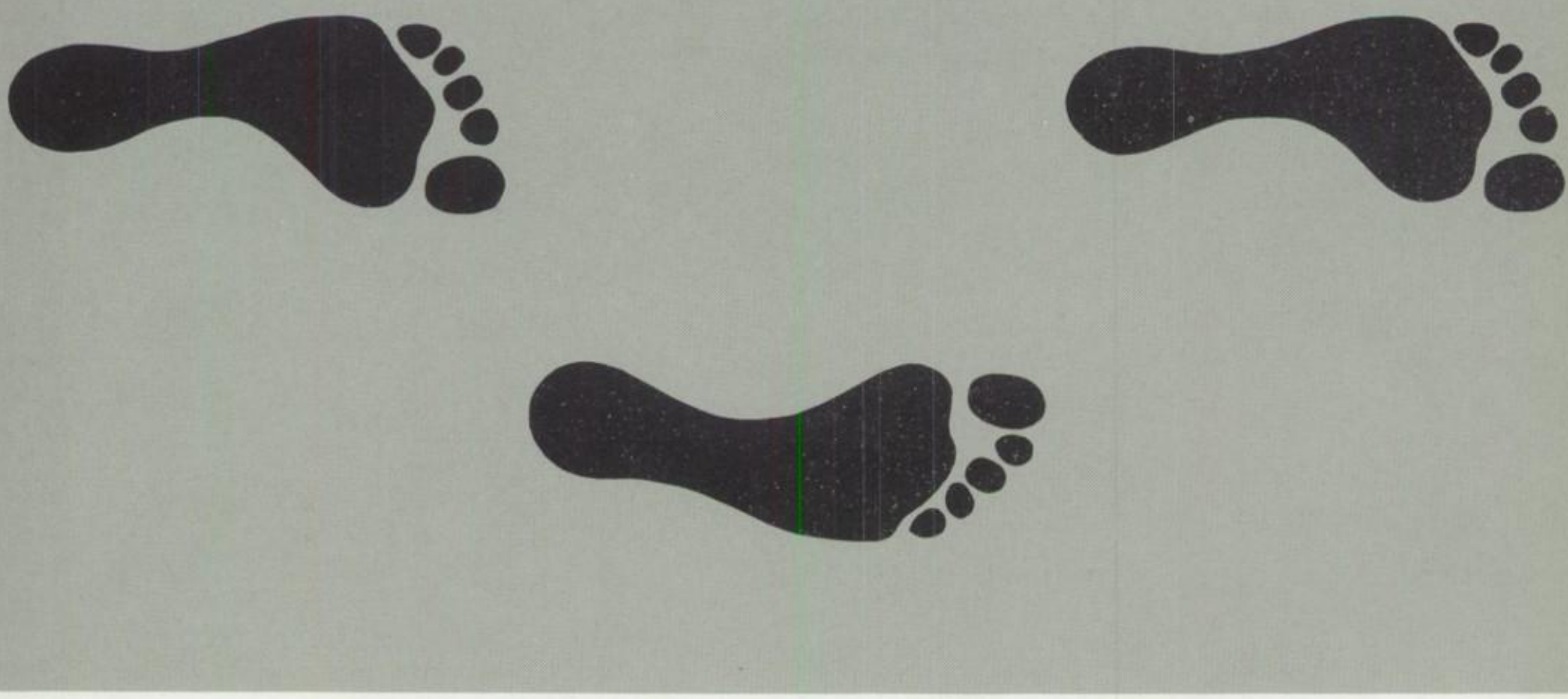
They say that it's the thought that counts so -
"THOUGHT"

LUV

Cindy - HA-HA.

P.S. Seriously, you're a (tremendous) guy and will go [illegible] that is, if you be GOOD and stay away from CENSORED (for safety) Good luck in the future!

# DEPARTMENTS



One of the many duties of the guidance counselors was to give I. Q. tests.

Mrs. Verdella Emerson, secretary to the Guidance Counselors.

# Counselors Helped Students Find Interests

Stressing the need for special training beyond high school, guidance counselors helped students relate their specific interests and abilities to future plans. Mr. Roger Goos and Mr. Norris Augustin shared the responsibilities in the Guidance Department.

As sophomore adviser, Mr. Goos helped students adjust to the high school routine, plan their schedules, and solve any personal problems that arose. During the year, the sophomores took the Kuder Preference Test and the Differential Aptitude Test to determine areas of special interests and abilities.

Both guidance counselors met with juniors to discuss tests and future plans. The Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test, National Merit Test, Otis Mental Ability Test, and the Iowa Tests of Educational Development were administered to the juniors.

Mr. Augustin, senior counselor, administered the GAT to seniors entering the business world; and to the other seniors, the Regents Examination and the Scholastic Aptitude Test.

Mr. Norris Augustin was instructing Ralph Irwin in the operation of the sound filmstrip projector.

Giving instructions for the PSAT tests was Mr. Roger Goos.

Art students tried their hand at making pottery.

# Art Classes Stressed Originality

Appreciation for art in CHS increased to a great extent during the year. The art classes, a constant source of new ideas and novel concepts, divided for the first time into beginning and advanced classes.

Stitchery, an activity introduced two years ago, was again a major project. The third-dimensional designs showed the students' originality, the use of contrasting and complimenting colors, and the stitchery skills of the boys as well as the girls.

At the first of the year, the students learned the basic rules of drawing, water coloring, shading, and the different types of artistic lettering. In December, each student made a Christmas decoration.

Pottery was a new activity introduced by Mr. Vestecka, the art teacher. He taught the beginning fundamentals of pottery to the students.

Each word counted as Sue Cronin and Chris Thorpe finished their word collages.

Mr. "V" supervised the Southern Gothic lettering of his students.

Art students sketched portraits of their model Doug Rudat.

A class in English IV used the tape recorder to improve reading skills.

# Literature-Language-Composition

All English Curriculum used was based on the Nebraska Curriculum published by the University of Nebraska with adaptations made by our English Department. Each year was divided into a number of related units of study.

Sophomore divisions were "Man's Picture of Nature," "Leader and the Group," "Sin and Loneliness," and the "Tragedy." Some books studied in these units were **The Prince, Julius Caesar, The Pearl, and Oedipus.**

Junior units pursued three primary themes of "Sin and Loneliness," "Man and Nature: A Search

Pam Chollar and Gloria Wilke found a good variety of books at the library paperback book sale.

Mr. Anderson used group discussions in his

Hawaii was the location for the National Convention attended by Mrs. Anderson.

# Program Stressed in English

for Form," and "Individualism in Nature." **Billy Budd, Walden, My Antonia,** and the poems of Emily Dickenson were some of the selections read.

**Gulliver's Travels, Macbeth, The Mayor of Casterbridge,** and **The Tale of Two Cities** were depth-studied in senior English covering units on Satire, Shakespearean Drama, the Class Novel, and Poetry.

Business English, a communicative course, dealt with short stories emphasizing stylistics, programmed spelling, composition skills, and reading skills.

This class of Junior English used SRA reading material, and also read **My Antonia.**

sophomore classes to broaden student outlook.

Business English students worked on programmed spelling.

Mr. Walsh mingled with his students to help guide them in their group discussions.

Modern Problems class learned about the relation-explanation on the overhead projector.

# Social Studies Showed Pupils

Mr. Jeffers counseled with one of the parents at Parent-Teacher conferences.

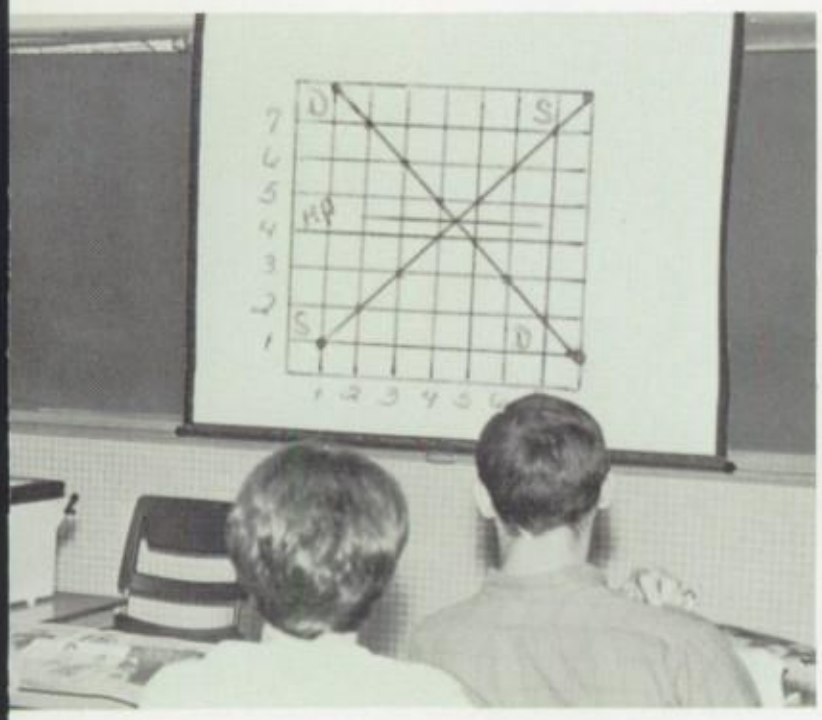
American government, American history, world studies, and modern problems constituted the Social Studies Department. All the courses were designed to inform pupils of past and present problems to mold them into more responsible citizens.

American government strived to interest the students in the government, in the policies, and in their effect on the individual teenager. This was accomplished by using different books, such as **The Teenagers and the Law** and **Black Like Me.**

Experimental American history involved a chronological study of history. First semester consisted of interpretive in-depth reading, lectures, and films. Second semester consisted of a research project. The regular history class involved the typical approach to traditional history.

World studies, a new series on the modern world, covered topics of geography, history, foreign policies, culture, and religion in countries of Asia and Eastern and Western Europe.

Students in modern problems studied a variety of subjects concerning our modern world. Some of the topics were foreign relations, communism--its strategy and tactics--economics, civil defense, and personal guidance.




ship between supply and demand from Mr. Jeffer's

Students read various books and pamphlets in order to carry on discussion in World Studies in Mr. Stevens' class.

# Past, Present Problems

Donna Zulkoski worked on a report, one of the projects in World Studies in Mr. Christiansen's class.

Many of the students used the library as a resource center for their reports.

Mike,
You're a real fab kid and nice to be around. Good luck and much success in anything you do.
Mary Lou

Second year French students had many group discussions in their study of France.

# Students Studied Dialogues, Learned

Students enrolled in one of the four foreign language courses not only gained a good background in the language but also became acquainted with the customs and cultures of the peoples using these languages.

Skills of basic conversation and grammar were taught to first-year Spanish students in addition to the history and customs of Spain and South America. Second-year classes studied grammar in connection with life in Mexico. For the first time a third year of Spanish was offered to interested students. Besides reading, studying dialogues, and writing compositions, they helped teach first-year students.

Latin students explained translations from English to Latin.

While holding a picture, German students improvised an on-the-spot story about it.

# Customs of Other Countries

Students in French worked in the labs to improve conversation techniques. Second and third year dealt with reading comprehension and class discussion with a detailed study of France. Fourth-year students spent the year reading French novels, writing essays, and taking part in an authentic French dinner.

German students concentrated on grammar, translation, and correct pronunciation.

Second-year Latin students studied Roman classics and civilization, thus leading into a more advanced study of the language in relationship to modern English.

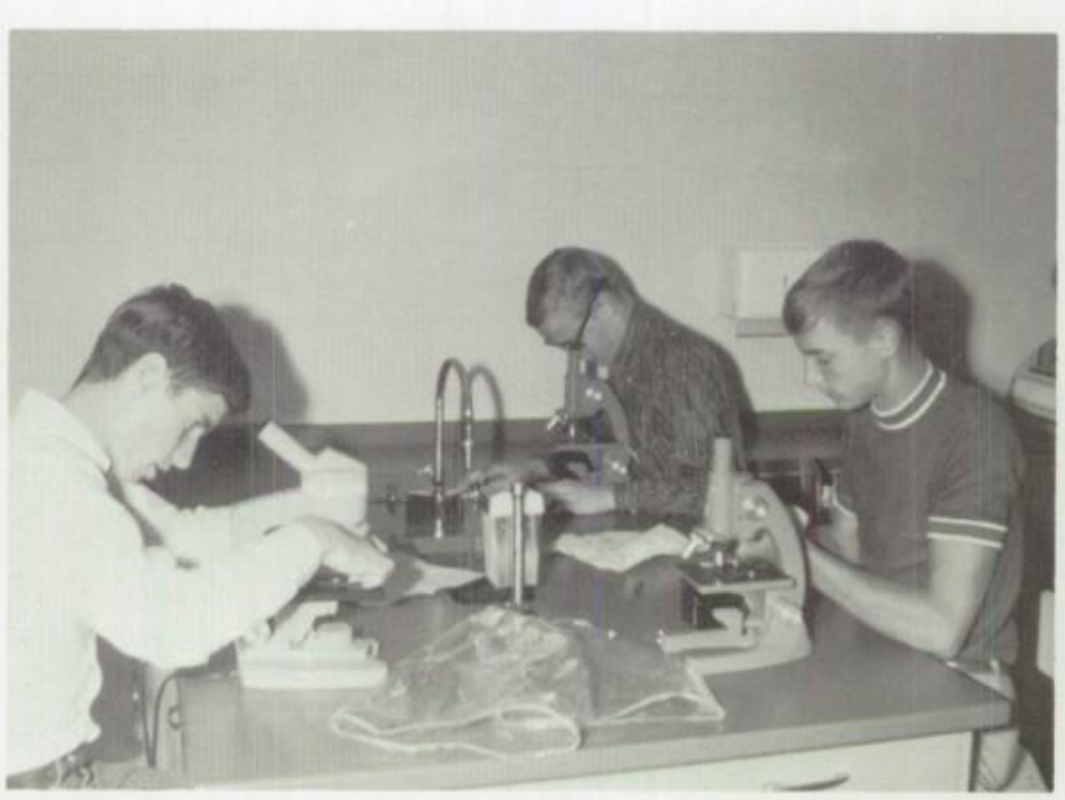
Maria Marin, the AFS student from Seville, explained the bullfights which are a popular attraction in her country.

Spanish II students practiced grammar and writing skills on the blackboard.

Dick Gersib, lab assistant, trapped a mammal to be stuffed in class for biology.

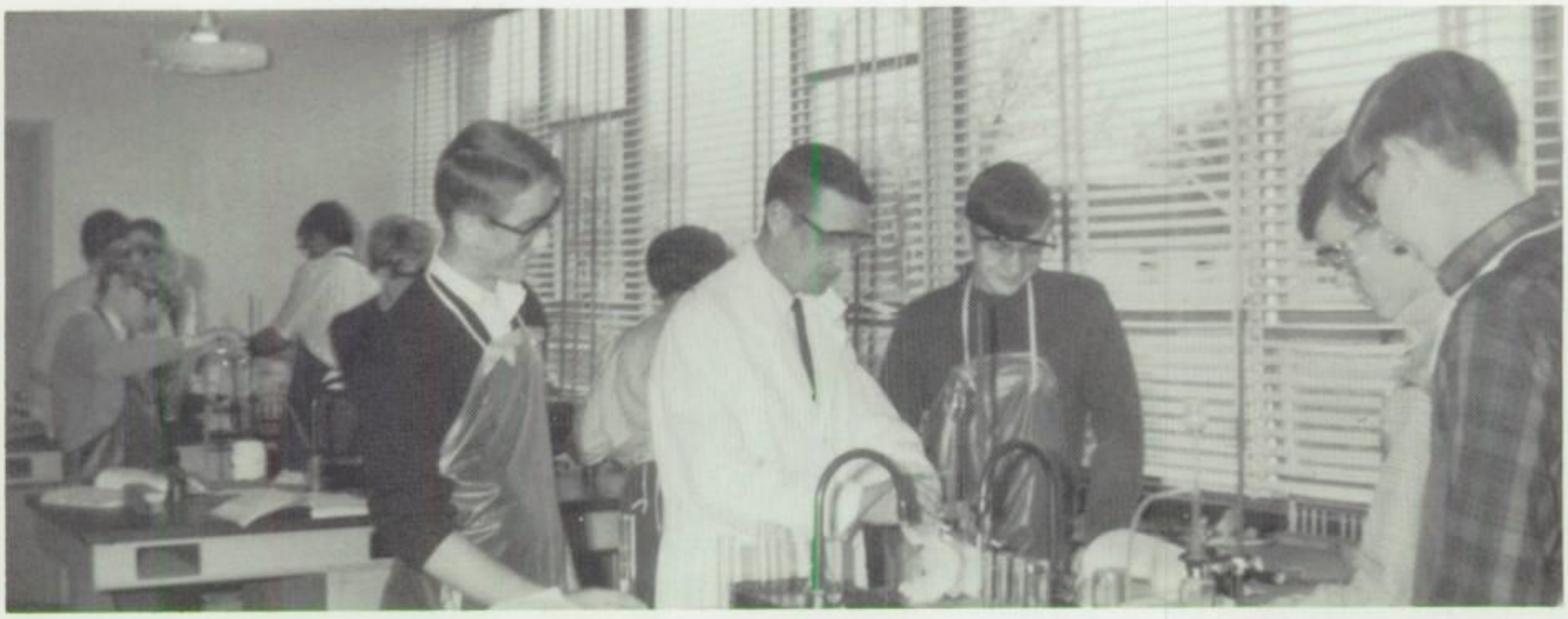
Fred Behlen and Dana Loseke were working with an oscilloscope hooked up to a geiger counter.

# Two New Courses Were Added



By observing slides in class, the biology students learned more about cells and their function.

Physiology students visited Behlen Memorial Hospital and examined an X-ray machine.



Mr. Dixon demonstrated the proper procedure of collecting hydrogen in Chemistry.

# in Science Department

General biology, applied science, biology, chemistry, physics, and physiology were the major divisions of the Science Department. Each section was taught to give students a basic fundamental knowledge in science.

General biology, a new laboratory orientated course, utilized sixty to seventy per cent of the class period to develop concepts in a lab situation. Areas covered were ecological relationships, reproduction and development, all energy processes, and organic evolution.

Applied science, a new course for sophomores, gave students an essential knowledge of the universe, time, current science, and basic interests.

Another sophomore science class, biology, dealt with the study of plants and animals and their relationship to their environment.

In chemistry, students not only studied acids, bases, salts, equations, elements, and formulas, but also had to learn the use of the slide rule.

Mechanics — laws of motion, optics and waves, the universe, and electricity and atomic structure were the topics of study in physics.

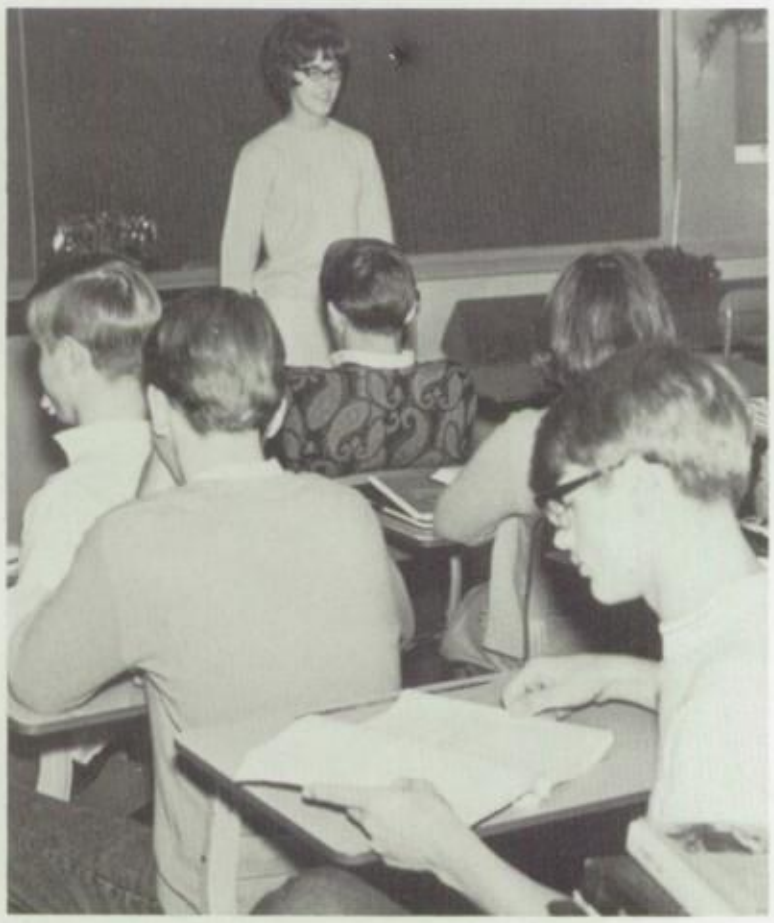
Physiology students took field trips to Behlen Memorial Hospital, Ingleside Hospital at Hastings, and Morril Hall, Planetarium, and State Historical Society on the University of Nebraska campus.

Students from Applied Science checked on tar and nicotine from cigarettes on a smoking machine.

The printing calculator and the rotary calculator were two of the office machines that Miss Jesse's office class used.

Pat Briggs worked with the printing calculator in the machines room.

# Secretarial Courses Prepared



Mrs. Wallace's Introduction to Business class learned many basic ideas of business education.

Office practice and secretarial courses prepared the students of the Commercial Department for the world of business. The courses of typing and shorthand held the most emphasis as requirements for the business world, but since all modern office procedure includes many new electrical devices, the skills of operating office machinery were also emphasized. The students were shown the fundamental procedures of actual office machinery and spent many hours practicing on them.

Typing courses for beginning students were offered for either one or two semesters. Personal typing was the course which was open to all sophomores, juniors, and seniors. Summer sessions for six weeks were offered for the students' benefit.

Eleven office machines compiled the program used

Adding machines and practice sets were used in bookkeeping class instruction.

Listening stations helped Miss Albro's Shorthand II students improve their speed.

# Students for Future Employment

by Miss Jesse. The students learned to operate a printing calculator,ten-key adding machines, duplicating machines, and rotary calculators. The girls also typed master carbons and stencils, and learned to mimeograph.

Listening stations helped Miss Albro's advanced secretarial classes to learn their skills. Each station consisted of a belt set at various speeds to correspond to the individual student's rate of learning. IBM machines were used for studying dictation, typing and sound scribing. Clerical typing courses were designed for the students interested in office work.

Bookkeeping was also a commercial course taught by Mr. Sanders. This course was designed to give the students a basic understanding of keeping financial books.

Beginning typing required daily concentration on the part of the students.

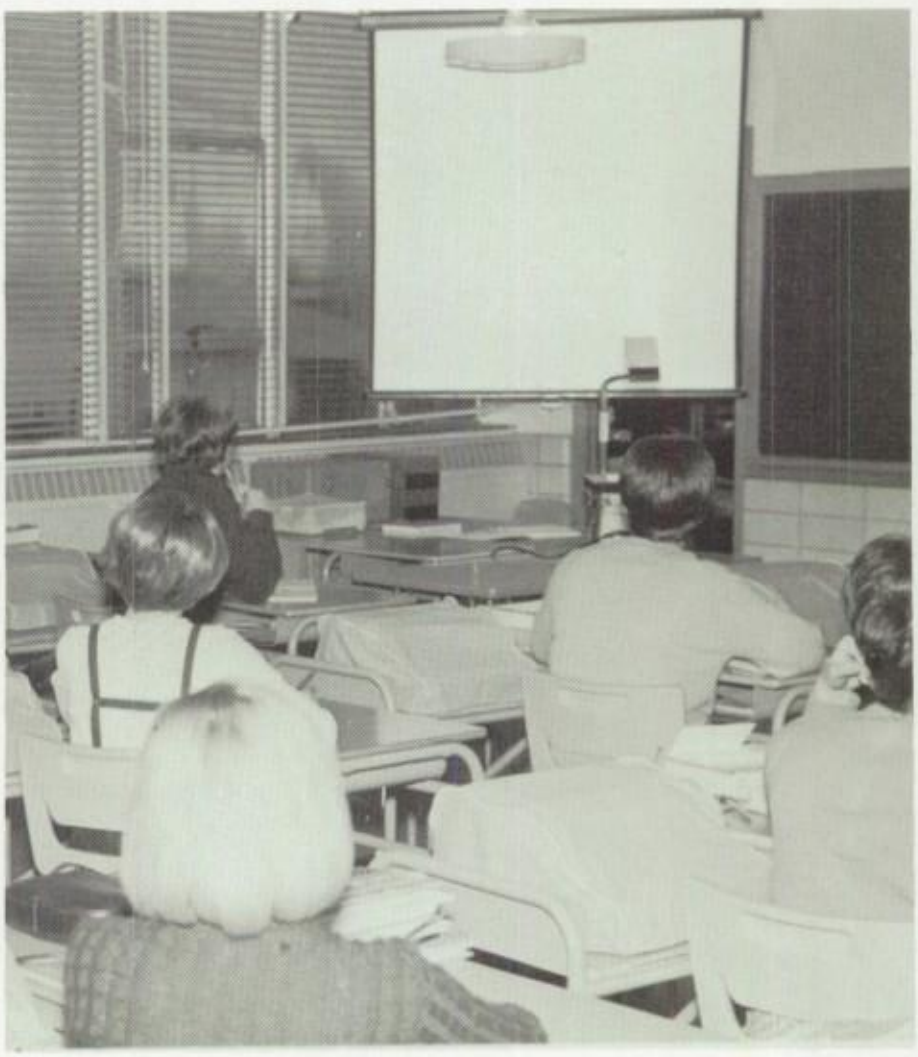
One of the necessities in Shorthand II was accuracy in taking shorthand.

Students strived for accuracy as well as speed in Typing II class.

# Students Practice the Fundamentals

This Typing I class received instruction through the use of the overhead projector.

The overhead projector was just one of Audio-Visual machines used in giving instruction to a class in Introduction to Business.



Paulette Gotschall recorded her sales talk which was later discussed by the rest of the class.

Nancy Hegi learned that arranging an attractive display was an important factor in the selling of merchandise.

# Local Businesses Employed Marketing Students

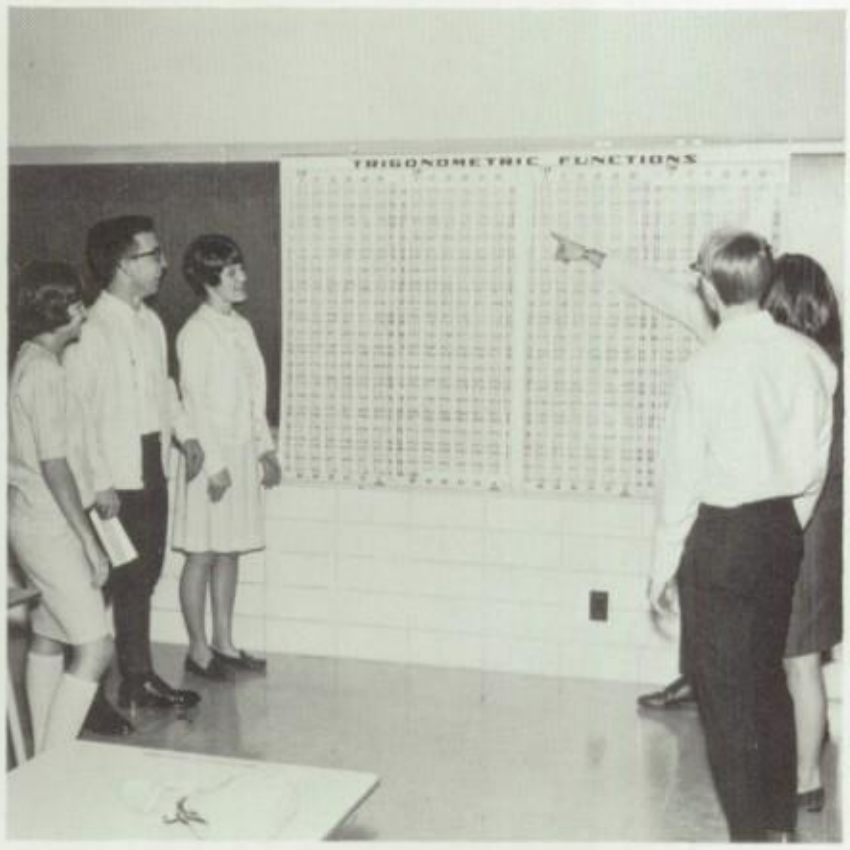
Many wholesale and retail businesses in the city cooperated with Columbus Senior High in providing part-time employment for the senior marketing students.

Marketing I, a preparatory class, consisted of retail merchandise and salesmanship fundamentals.

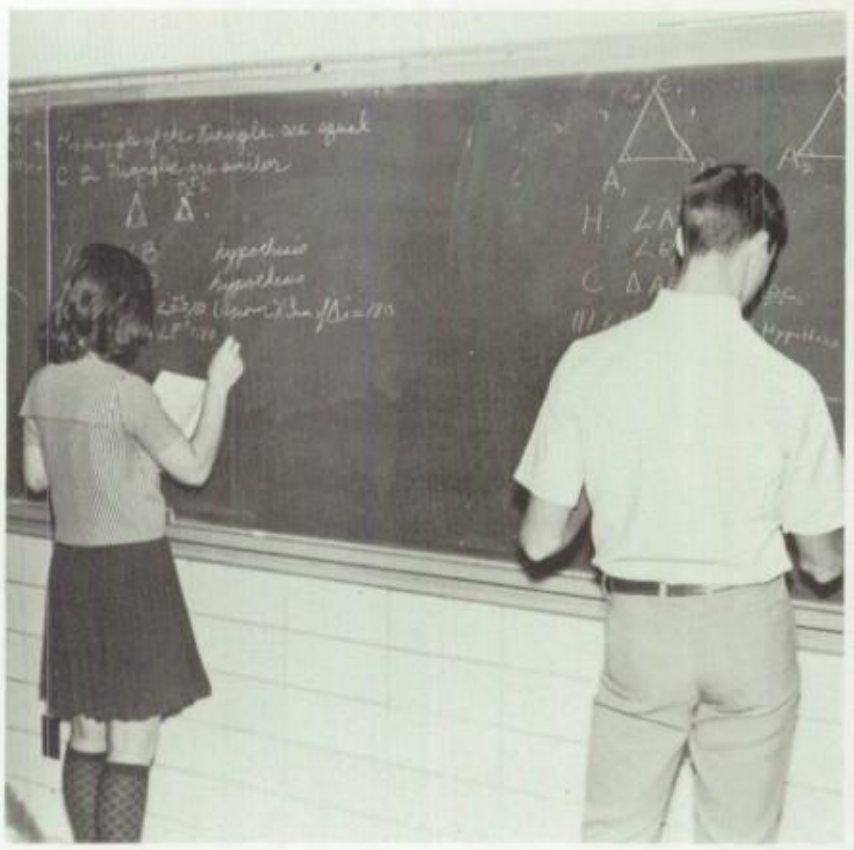
Marketing II classes, composed of senior students, participated in the two-hour classes of the training program. One hour was spent in actual class instruction. The other hour, the students worked in special areas of their choosing in an establishment under the careful supervision of the store manager. There they learned new ideas of salesmanship, came into actual contact with customers, and learned to understand the problems of the marketing world.

In both classes, different sales demonstrations presented by students were taped and afterwards discussed by the class. Arranging display cases attractively according to a color and design was also a part of the program.

An informal discussion was led by Mr. Osenbaugh during marketing class.




The senior trigonometry class used trigonometric functions as an aid in solving problems.



Proving theorems was one of the main skills learned in the geometry class, which consisted primarily of sophomores.

# Math Dealt in Attaining Accuracy

In applied mathematics, a new addition to the math curriculum, students learned how to acquire accuracy in solving everyday mathematical problems. This course featured the use of machines to perform fundamental operations.

Presented from a modern point of view, geometry encouraged independent thinking and prepared students for further advanced work in mathematics and science.

Algebra I involved the studying of sets, systems of equations, and factoring of polynomials. Algebra II dealt with linear and non-linear relations, sets, logarithms, function, and trigonometry.

Two periods of fourth-year math concerned areas dealing with vectors, limits functions, mathematical induction, complex numbers, and trigonometry.

In Mr. Bower's Applied Math class, the students discovered the many phases of math and the practical application of it.

The debate class found that group discussions helped each team in improving its tactics.

Piling into a car, leaving for a debate tournament were Nancy Auten, Dan Schroeder, and Ron Herms.

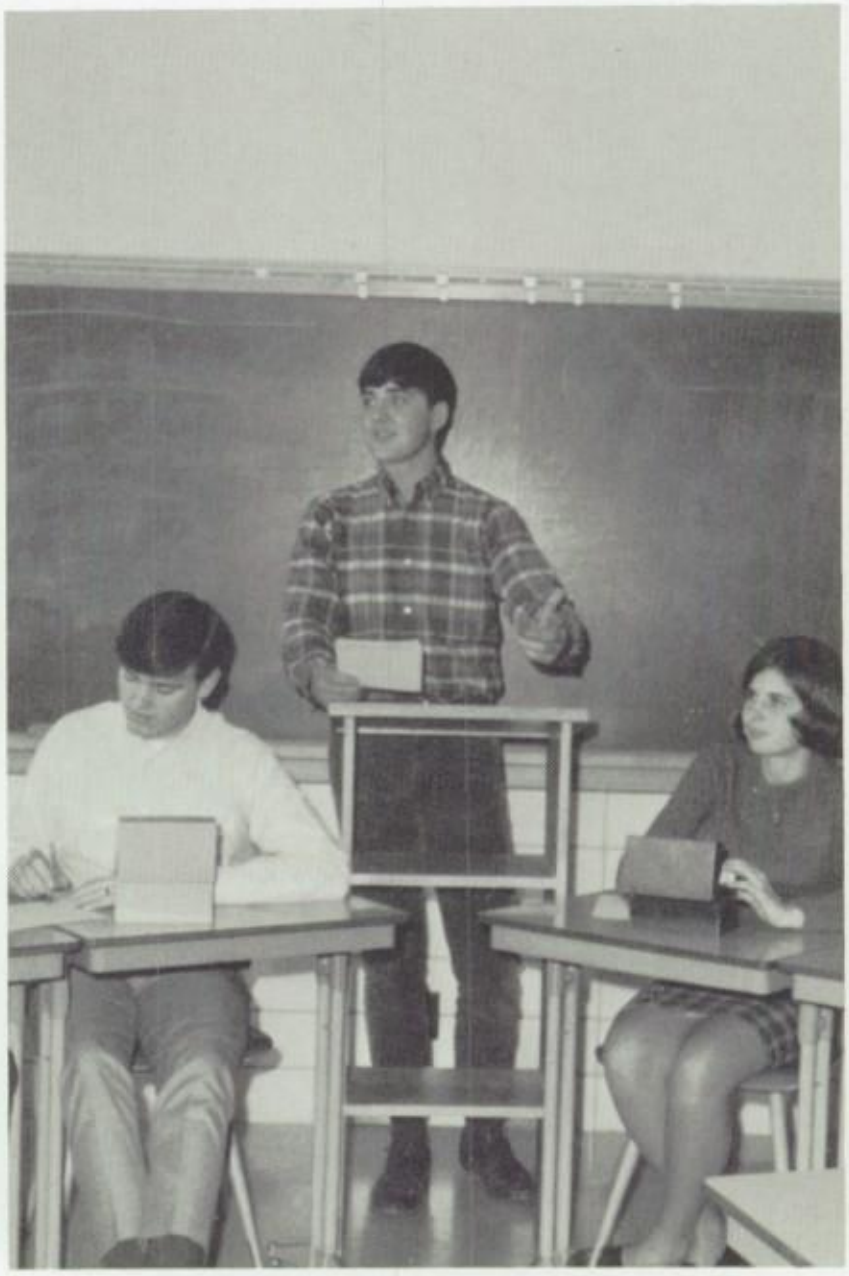
# Students Spent Hours on Debate Topic

Fifteen debate students spent many hours compiling sufficient evidence for the national debate topic "Resovled: That Congress should establish uniform regulations to control criminal investigation procedures." This topic involved a very in-depth study of crime, the Supreme Court, and recent Supreme Court decisions concerning crime.

The teams attended eight tournaments in other schools, and the Columbus National Forensic League hosted one tournament attended by nearly two hundred Nebraska debaters.

Besides debates, several students entered competition in individual events: original oratory, boys' and girls' extemp, and oral interpretation.

Officers of the local National Forensic League were president, Lee Rathbun; and secretary-treasurer, Irene Duncan.



Tim Brock, with Kaye George, debated criminal investigation procedures against the team of Steve Kamber and Steve Berkheimer (not pictured).

Jim Santage learned the importance of the Diazo Copier in Drafting.

Dave Speicher explained the surfacer in Comprehensive Skills II.

# Electronics Added in

Basic fundamentals were put to use by the students in Comprehensive Skills and Technology II. Electronics was a new elective course added to Comprehensive Skills II. Forging, sheet metal, arc-welding, bench metal, and foundry were some areas covered. The boys made miniature hammers and anvils to show their ability.

Comprehensive Skills and Technology I, the beginning Industrial Education course, provided the boys with basic fundamentals in metalworking, woodworking, leather, and plastics. A new addition to the course was Basic Electricity. Taught for a quarter during the year, it gave the boys a working knowledge of electricity. Simple labs such as wiring buzzers with a battery helped the students realize its practicality.

Completing the three-year series, Comprehen-

In Drafting II, Ken Moersen completed a project assignment

Ken Liss learned techniques of irregular wood cutting on the Band Saw.

# Industrial Education

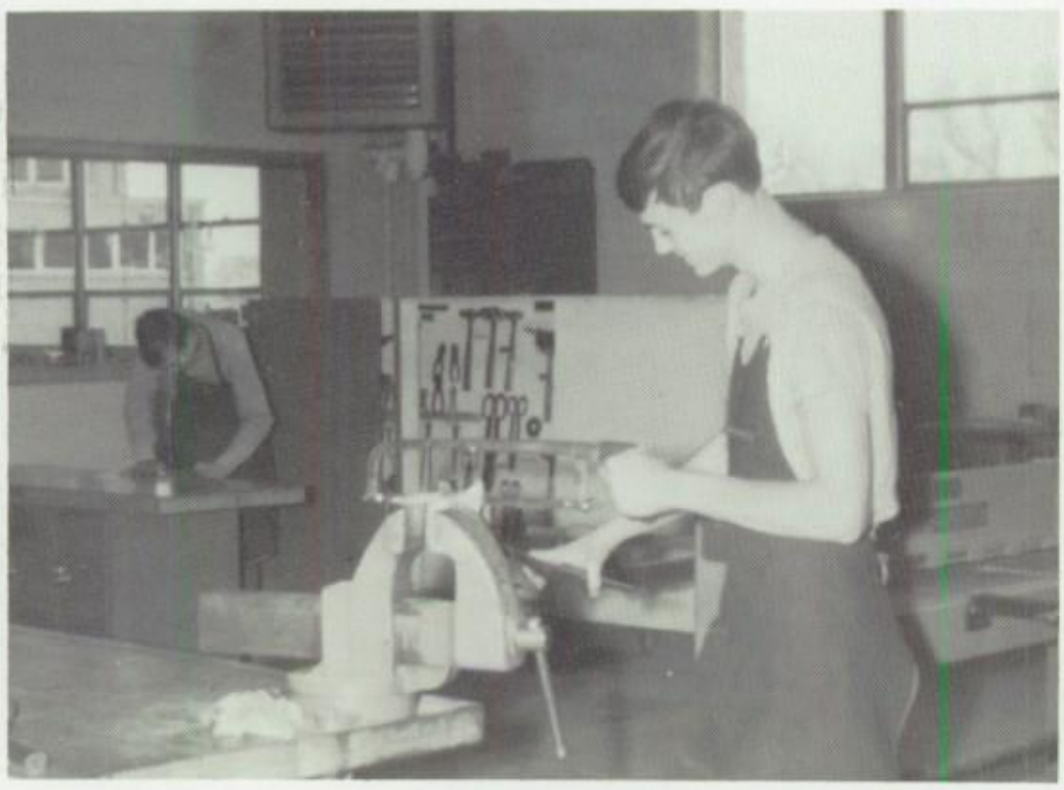
sive Skills and Technology III emphasized precision measurements. The senior boys also had more opportunities to work with machines. Students studied TIG welding, MIG welding, and advanced welding.

Drafting fundamentals were taught in Mechanical Drawing I. Activities of this course included reading blueprints, making proportional sketches, and dimensioning.

Experience was gained by the students in the use of drafting instruments and techniques in Mechanical Drawing II. The students also took up some architectural drawing.

Vocational drafting, a new addition, was provided for three-year students who had decided to go into a field connected with mechanical drawing.

Terry VanDiest and Jim Tubbs used the Metal Lathe in shop.



Tom Schwank finished his casting project.

To understand child behavior, the Home Economic Department held a children's play school.

As part of their sewing program, the sophomore girls in Home Economics were required to make granny nightgowns.

# Girls Made Preparation for Adult Living

Girls learn techniques of dressmaking to attain proper fit.

"Preparation for Adult Living" was the title of the course for the senior classes of the Home Economics Department. Six specific areas of discussion were housing of the family, nutrition, clothing, family finance, responsibilities of adulthood and parenthood, and consumer buying.

Home Economics Related Occupations (HERO) was also a part of the program. Some projects in this field were altering patterns, doing a make over, and making a child's garment, a tailored garment, and a man's shirt.

Juniors taking only a one-semester course were instructed on foods and nutrition, first semester; housing, interior decorating, and home furnishings, the second semester.

Sophomores also could take a one-semester course. One semester consisted of clothing and textiles which covered the fundamentals of clothing for themselves and their families. Three sewing projects of this phase were the making of a granny nightgown, a lined skirt, and a winter outfit. The main theme for the other semester was human development which dealt with child care, first aid, and nursing. A nursery school attended by preschool and kindergarten children helped the class to observe the behavior of children.

Horticulture students examined a sample bush for signs of disease.

Soil Sample Data Sheets were examined by the Vocational Agricultural students.

# Voc Ag Changed to Semester Course

Vocational Agriculture classes were conducted on a semester basis instead of a full year term and included shop experience. Students had a choice of six agricultural courses: Livestock Production, Soils, Soil and Water Conservation, Horticulture and Forestry, the first semester; Crop Production, Chemicals and Feed Technology, Farm and Agricultural Business Management, the second semester.

Students were given an opportunity to earn extra credit by conducting a production project or work experience program. A committee of judges analyzed the students' progress and administered the extra credits accordingly.

Occupation Orientation was the beginning program started on the Junior High level. Field trips were a part of this program.

FFA membership was available to all agriculture students. The main purpose of FFA was to develop leadership, citizenship, and co-operation among its members.

Mr. Eickhoff showed the students how to operate the new tape recorder used in class discussions.

Mr. Johnson stressed the importance of knowing something about how the automobile operates.

# Defensive Driving Techniques Taught

Learning to change a tire was one of the many skills learned in driver education.

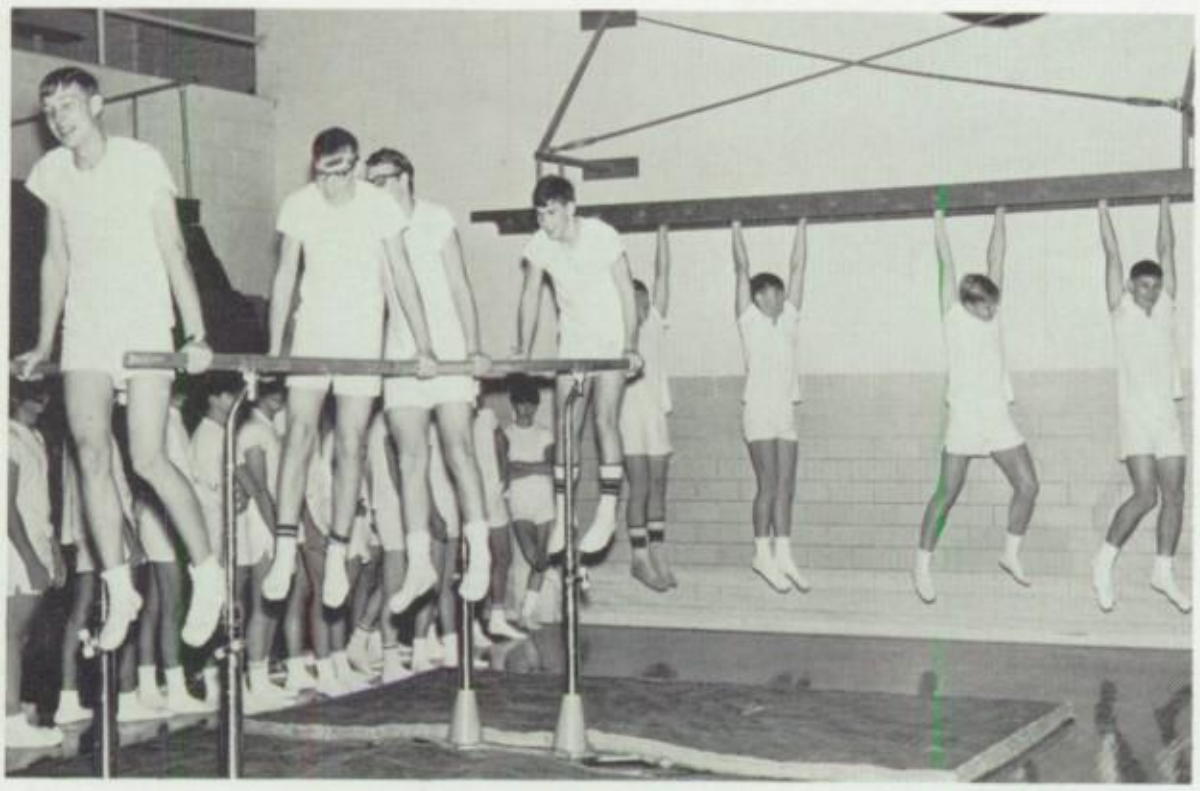
Defensive driving techniques were emphasized in the driver education courses to help student drivers reduce the mounting death toll.

Students devoted two periods each week to classroom instruction and one period to actual practice driving, under the supervision of Mr. Jack Johnson. While driving, the students made use of their knowledge in changing tires, parking, safety rules, and regulations.

In addition to driving, the students learned the costs of owning and operating a car, insurance policy rates, and the important parts of a car — their proper care and function.

Summer sessions of driver education were held for six weeks, enabling more students to enroll.

Mr. Johnson was getting ready to teach some of his driver education students how to parallel park.



Parallel bars and the ladder were just two of the many pieces of gymnastic equipment on which the boys in PE class exercised.

# P. E. Aimed Toward Variety in Activities

Variety was the word to describe the goal of the Physical Education Department. New activities were introduced to stimulate interest and participation from the sophomore and junior students taking the required course.

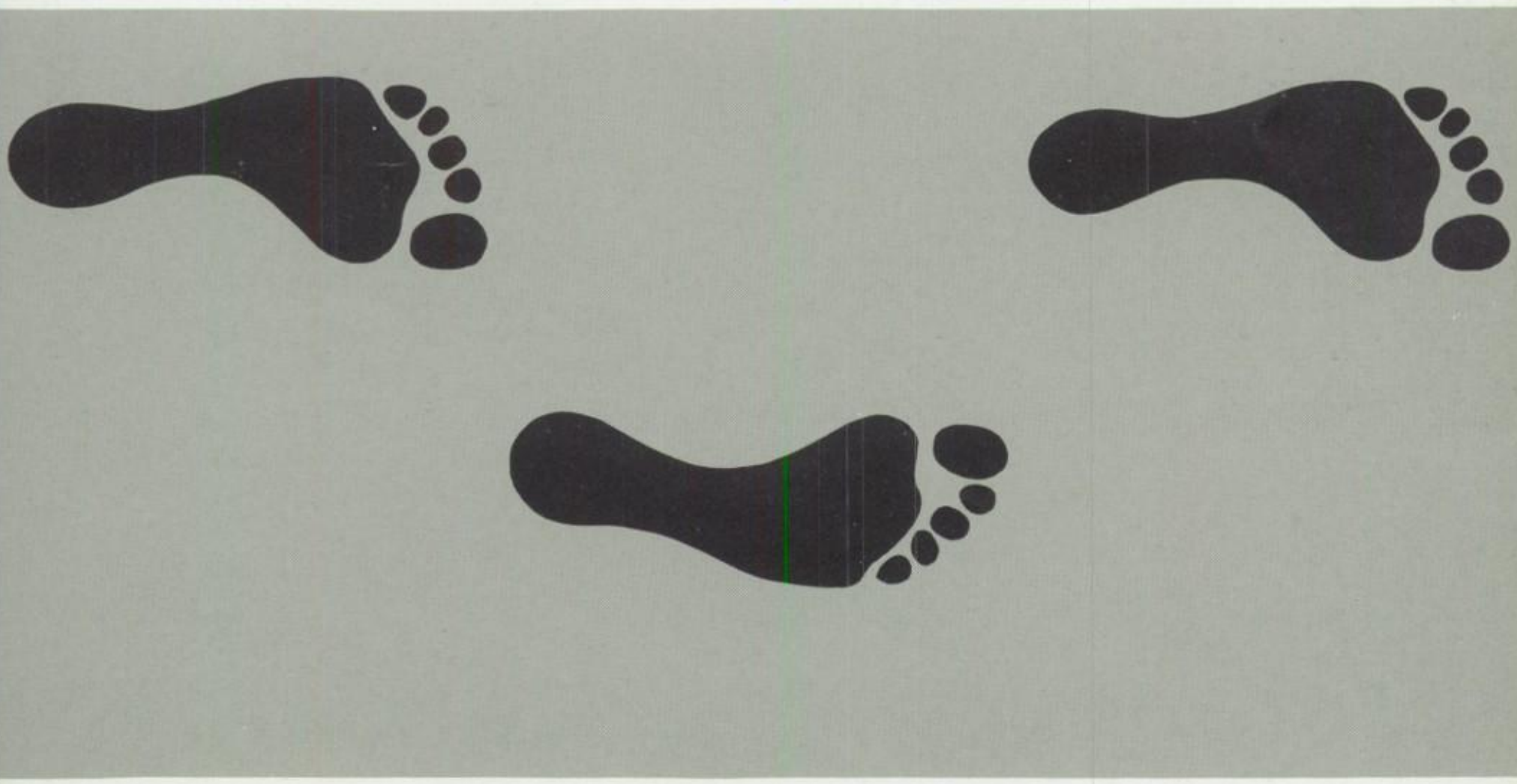
In keeping with this goal, the department introduced a new game, Speed-away, a combination of soccer and football. Students discovered the game to be less restricting than the traditional games of soccer and football, due to the lack of rules. The game was designed to create good coordination and good teamwork as well as to create new interest in outside sports. Bowling was also continued.

Girls' P. E. classes participated in the traditional sports of gymnastics, archery, soccer, and basketball. Boys' P. E. classes enjoyed the sports of ragfootball, beginning gymnastics, wrestling, and archery. Co-ed activities included volleyball and square dancing.

Form and co-ordination were practiced on the high bar.

Bowling was one of the many activities in which the girls in PE class were instructed.

# ORGANIZATIONS



**ATTENDANTS:** Craig Williams
Ann Loomis

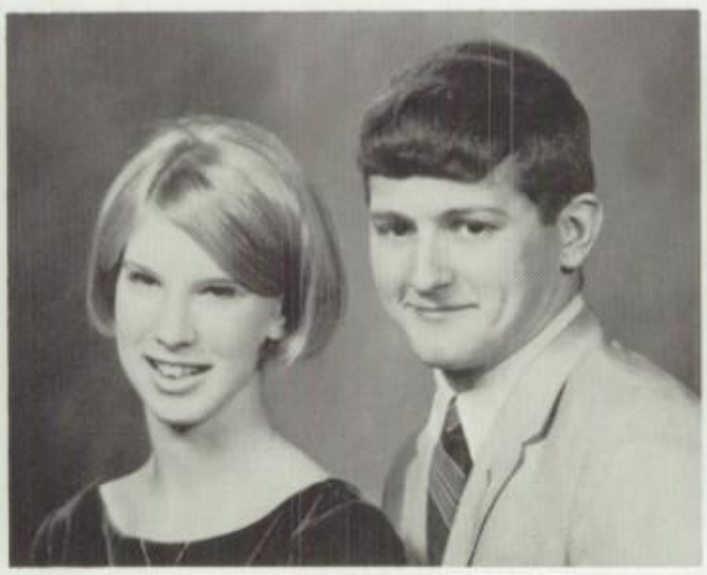
**ATTENDANTS:** Mary Buchholz
Michael Floyd

# Linda, Dan Crowned in '67

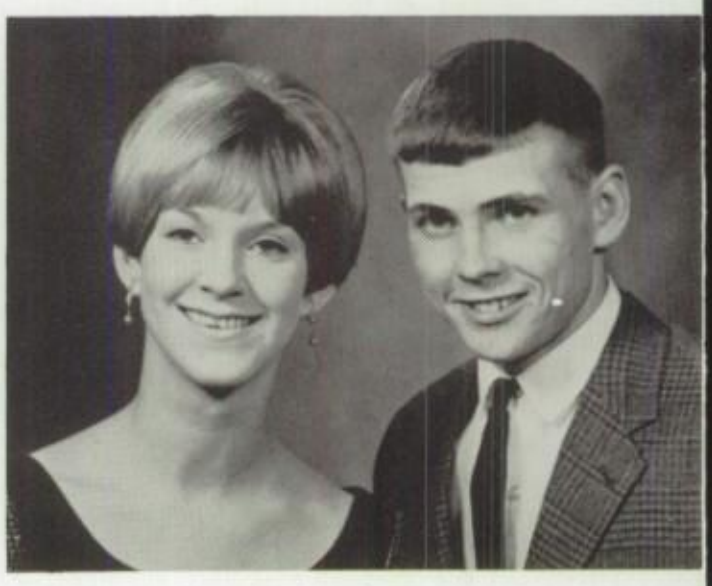
**HOMECOMING QUEEN and KING**
Linda Rae Daniel Hartsel
October 13, 1967

**ATTENDANTS:** Thomas Iossi
Thedora Lund

**ATTENDANTS:** Mary Ann Miller
Gene Nyffeler



**ATTENDANTS:** Susan Wurdeman
Douglas Rudat



Crowning of King Dan . . .

Queen Linda . . .

ended with traditional kiss.

# Homecoming Festivities

Homecoming royalty and attendants of 1967.

Last year's royalty Deta Coover and Ken Robb assisted the crownbearers Julie Speicher and Corby Warner.

Students and alumni enjoyed the Homecoming Dance held after the game.

**ATTENDANTS:** Larry Nyffeler
Beth Loseke

**ATTENDANTS:** Christine Spidle
Richard Carr

# Kobza, Schwank Chosen Sno Ball Royalty

**SNOWBALL QUEEN and KING**

Diane Kobza Todd Schwank

December 22, 1967

**ATTENDANTS:** Steven Anderson
Nancy Abegglen

**ATTENDANTS:** Mary DeWitt
Frank Higgins

**ATTENDANTS:** Bonita Mihulka
Ralph Irwin

**ATTENDANTS:** Susan McCarthy
John Ballew

**ATTENDANTS:** Charice Rumbaugh
David Kilmer

# Marin, Staub Chosen Sweetheart Royalty

**SWEETHEART QUEEN and KING**

Maria Marin — John Staub

February 13, 1968

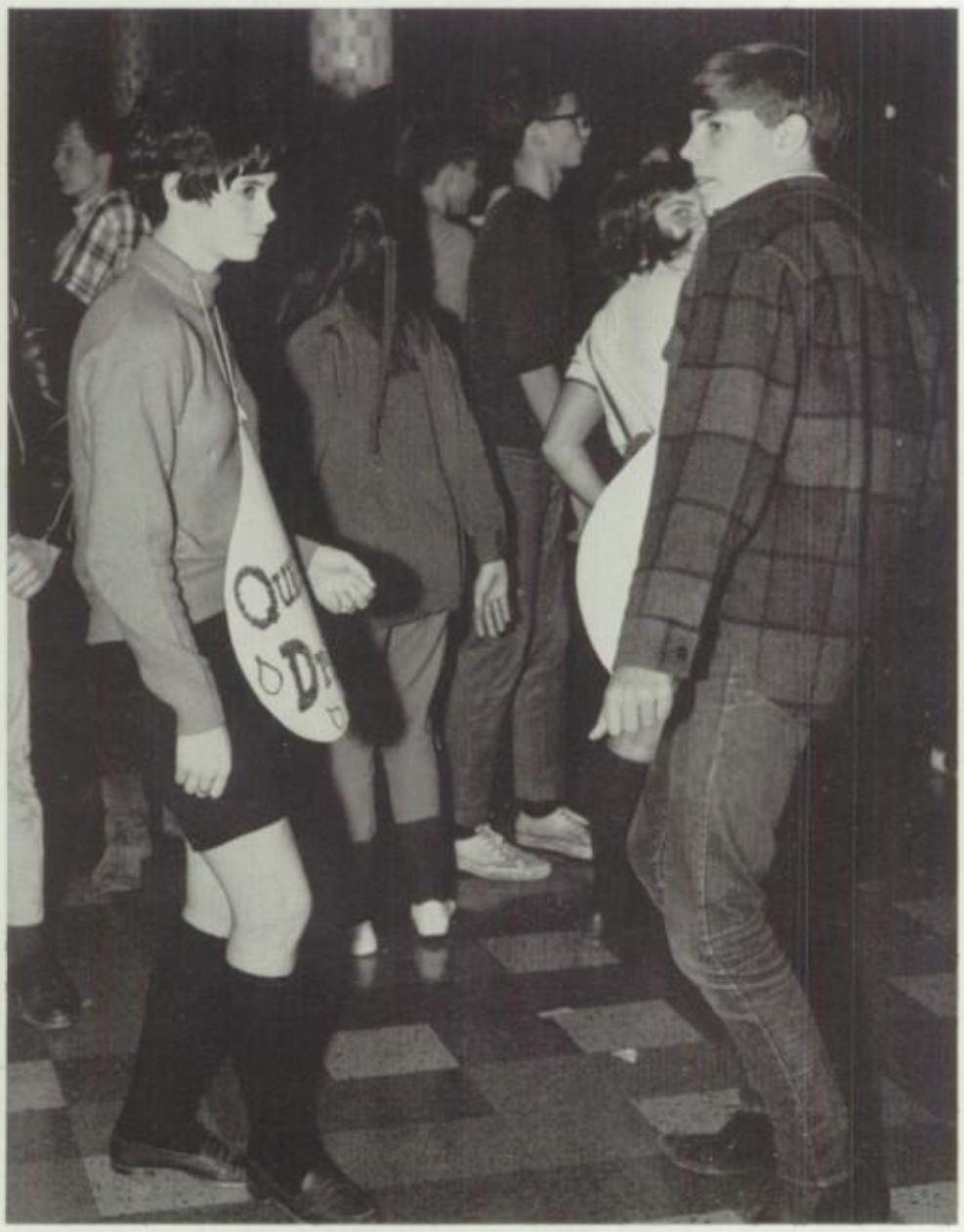
**ATTENDANTS:** Terry Trofholz
Nancy Bullock

**ATTENDANTS:** Debbie Rabourn
Stuart Bullington

A pause in the evening's dancing occurred when Sno-ball Royalty had a dance to themselves.

Sweetheart goers were enthralled by the

# Slop Hop, Sno-Ball, Sweetheart



The Sweetheart theme of "LUV" entranced the Royalty as they engaged in their traditional dance.

**Queen Drip,** Linda Wake, and **King Drop,** Mark Ihde, reigned over the Slop Hop.

swinging sounds of the Chancellors.

Come as you like — and so they did at the Slop Hop.

# Sponsored by Student Council

A touch of gay laughter as well as snow was in the air during Sno-ball festivities.

Smiles and liveliness prevailed as in formally-dressed couples enjoyed Sweetheart Dance.

STUDENT COUNCIL — **BACK ROW:** K. Wagner, K. Blessen, D. Vander Ploeg, K. Davy, S. Klutman, T. Brock, L. Luchtel, T. Iossi, R. Carr, D. Kiser. **THIRD ROW:** M. Daniels, T. Rich, J. Zocholl, Y. Gembol, M. Brown, R. Burns, J. Honke, R. Zimmerman, S. Anderson. **SECOND ROW:** J. Burns, D. Bullington, R. Lohr, J. Ballew, L. Rae, M. Miller, J. Hoge, M. Buchholz, T. Lund. **FRONT ROW:** N. Bullock, K. George, M. Kreft, C. Rumbaugh, D. Rabourn, C. Spidle, P. Heiser.

# Student Council Sponsored CHS Activities

EXECUTIVE BOARD — Robert Burns, John Ballew, Mary Buchholz, Mr. Norris Augustin, Adviser; Chari Rumbaugh, Mr. Roger Goos, Adviser.

As stated in the constitution, the purpose of Student Council is to sponsor school activities, to uphold the standards of CHS, to promote good citizenship, to raise the level of scholastic and recreational attainments, and to promote co-operation between the faculty and the student body.

In the spring the council held elections for ten juniors, twelve seniors, the president and the vice-president for the coming year with the election of eight sophomore representatives in the fall.

As an added highlight, the members of the Student Council presented "The Night Before Christmas" at the Christmas convocation.

The Student Council directed its money-making projects toward the American Field Service. The organization sponsored the Slop Hop on November 17. During the year, it also sponsored the Sno-Ball Dance on December 22, a Sweetheart Dance on February 13, and Twirp week in the spring.

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| Mr. Norris Augustin | Adviser |
| Mr. Roger Goos | Adviser |

Thanks to Student Council, St. Rick and his bunnies were able to make a Christmas visit to CHS.

The visiting AFS students were given a hearty welcome on their arrival in Columbus.

# Walk Together — Talk Together.

July 3-5 Columbus families opened their hearts and homes to a caravan of forty-seven American Field Service students enroute to New York City from the Washington-Oregon region.

After arriving on July 3, the students spent the evening quietly, resting from the long journey which had brought them from Kimbal, Nebraska.

July 4, all host families and students met at the Pawnee Park for a picnic. A dance and buffet supper were held at the Elk's Country Club and after sunset, everyone enjoyed a beautiful display of fireworks.

Bright and early Wednesday at 8:00 A. M. the students boarded their buses for another two-day trek which would take them as far as Independence, Iowa.

Summer experiences were exchanged among AFS students as they were homeward bound.

At Thanksgiving time, the AFS student, Maria Marin, received a basket of her favorite food, fruit, from Mrs. Elmer Hodges and the AFS Chapter.

EXECUTIVE BOARD — Miss Marilyn Keyes, **Adviser;** Mr. Leonard Miller, **Treasurer;** Mrs. William Nelson, **Secretary;** Mrs. Elmer Hodges, **President;** Mr. Norris Augustin, **Guidance Director;** Mr. Roy Jeffers, **Adviser.** ( Not pictured — Mrs. Charles Elliot, **Vice-President.**

# American Field Service Promoted

Raising money to sponsor a student for the next year was the main objective of the AFS Chapter. The group made plans to hold bake sales, to sell candy molds, and to sell concessions at a home basketball game as projects to support the AFS student. The organization also strived to help the student adjust to the American way of life and worked to solve any problems which might have arisen between her and her American family.

On February 18, the Columbus Soroptomists held a tea at the Methodist Church honoring Maria Marin, our AFS student from Seville, Spain, and other exchange students from Norway, Australia, Brazil, Ceylon, Thailand, Columbia, Denmark, France, Germany, India, Iran, and Sweden who were living in surrounding areas.

Terry Rodgers and Linda Gilmore were selected as finalists from Columbus for the Americans Abroad Program. The selection committee sent their names to New York City for a final selection of students from all those who were nominated.

Students and adults interested in foreign relations through AFS met at one of the local chapter meetings.

One of Maria's favorite hobbies was preparing American salads.

Maria and Kathy compare the topographies of Spain and the United States.

# Friendly Foreign Relations

In the course of this year that I'm spending in the U. S., each day has been a new experience that I will never forget. This year I have had the marvelous opportunity to know many people and to learn the differences between this great country and my country, to have lived with a wonderful large family which has been an outstanding experience because in Spain I have only one sister a year younger than me, and here I have five brothers and sisters.

In this high school I have met many teachers, who have been willing to help me with the difficulties of my language, and many companions whom I will remember always.

There are so many differences between my country and this one that in a few words it is impossible to say much. Spain is a very old country with a long history full of many events and one where the distances are not as great as here.

When I return to Spain, I will have two more years of college. I graduated from high school three years ago and studied one year of science in the pre-university course before entering the professional school of tourism. I'm very grateful for the opportunity of having been an exchange student, and I hope the AFS program continues with many more participants. I'm sure that if you go to Spain, you will find the same hospitality and friendliness that I have found here.

During her stay with the Waldman's, Maria shared many new customs that differed from those in Spain.

MATIES — Chris Spidle, Chari Rumbaugh, Debbie Wilke, Jody Emel, Mary DeWitt, Irene Duncan, Pat Gersib,

# Efficient Leaders Guided Largest

Bubbling with enthusiasm the two hundred members of the Booster Club cheered CHS athletic teams on to victory. This number included thirteen squadleaders, eleven maties, seven varsity cheerleaders, and seven junior varsity cheerleaders.

Projects undertaken by the Booster Club were distributing Forget-Me-Nots for the Disabled Veterans, selling Zip Code books, and sponsoring a chili feed during basketball season.

Football season was highlighted by the Homecoming Dance held on October 13. Reigning were

VARSITY CHEERLEADERS — **BACK ROW:** Linda Rae, Sue Wurdeman. **MIDDLE ROW:** Sue McCarthy, Ann Loomis, Tedi Lund. **FRONT ROW:** Nancy Bullock, Nancy Abegglen.

Mary Buchholz, Beth Loseke, Bonnie Mihulka, Nancy Graus.

EXECUTIVE BOARD — **BACK ROW:** Miss Barbara Jesse, Adviser, Mary Ann Miller, Miss Marilyn Keyes, Adviser. **FRONT ROW:** Maureen Daniels, Connie Welch, Christine Vlasak.

# Booster Club in History

Queen Linda Rae and King Dan Hartsel with attendants Mary Buchholz, Ann Loomis, Tedi Lund, Mary Ann Miller, Sue Wurdeman, Tom Iossi, Mike Floyd, Gene Nyffeler, Doug Rudat, and Craig Williams.

Each member of Booster Club who earned seven hundred merits was entitled to a chevron, and a star award was given to the junior with the most merits. Merits were received by attending poster parties, out-of-town games, swimming, wrestling, and gymnastics meets

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| Adviser | Miss Barbara Jesse |
| Adviser | Miss Marilyn Keyes |

JUNIOR VARSITY CHEERLEADERS — **BACK ROW:** Patti Augustine, Peggy Santage. **MIDDLE ROW:** Terri Drozd, Karen Miller. **KNEELING:** Debbie Rabourn, Yvonne Mihulka, Pattie Heiser.

SHARMAN JOSEPH'S SQUAD — **BACK ROW:** L. Dischner, P. Bokelmann, C. Berry, R. Fleischer, L. Basler, V. Foltz, B. Behle. **SECOND ROW:** K. Carlson, S. Joseph, S. Earl, L. Blatchford, P. Briggs, D. Ewert. **FRONT ROW:** M. Fulton, C. Fyfe, M. Ernst, S. Bridgmon, L. Farnham.

DIANE KOBZA'S SQUAD — **BACK ROW:** C. Kant, L. Gehring, C. Jones, J. Kummetz, K. Klug, L. Kinzer, D. Kobza. **SECOND ROW:** J. Honke, K. Krumland, C. Guenther, N. Hefti, D. Ihde, C. Hahn. **FRONT ROW:** P. Kuta, K. George, K. Grotelueschen, N. Gruenhage, E. Gigstad, J. Johnson.

# Booster Club Showed

DEBBIE NELSON'S SQUAD — **BACK ROW:** L. Meschke, L. Podraza, P. Potter, M. Olsen, N. Mohlman, D. Nelson. **SECOND ROW:** S. MacFarland, L. Lovell, J. McKee, M. Marin, R. Oppliger. **FRONT ROW:** L. Luckey, C. Osten, K. McCamley.

CHRIS THORPE'S SQUAD — **BACK ROW:** P. Rafferty, K. Schaefer, C. Szudlo, C. Thorpe, C. Schlegelmilch. **SECOND ROW:** D. Zulkoski, J. Vavricek, M. Sommermeyer, T. Rodgers, R. Taylor, M. Stephens. **FRONT ROW:** P. Taylor, P. Scheel, L. Rathbun.

SARA BUCHHOLZ'S SQUAD — **BACK ROW:** K. Blessen, J. Daniel, P. Dostal, K. Bembry, J. Evans, D. Bremer, K. Eckholt. **SECOND ROW:** P. Boettcher, M. Ambrose, P. Bukacek, J. Abegglen, P. Chollar, S. Buchholz, S. Cronin, N. Berchtold. **FRONT ROW:** C. Dickenson, N. Auten, C. Crebbin, W. Christensen, B. Becher, D. Davenport, M. Egger.

BONNIE MICHENER'S SQUAD — **BACK ROW:** J. Johnson, N. Greenwall, Y. Gembol, K. Henke, C. Foxworthy, P. Foltz, C. Guenther. **SECOND ROW:** J. Higgins, L. Gilmore, K. Hecke, B. Michener, M. Hake, M. Fyfe, S. Hanner, C. Falk. **FRONT ROW:** N. Hegi, P. Hill, K. George, S. Folsom, J. Henggeler, L. Goetz, K. Hoessel, D. Gonka, P. Gotschall.

JANET KELLER'S SQUAD — **BACK ROW:** J. Keller, C. Korte, B. Moran, L. Luchtel, B. Kallweit, L. Nickolite, L. Kodad, J. Lemke. **SECOND ROW:** D. Janssen, K. Keller, R. Klug, D. Luckey, J. Loseke, P. Mostek, C. Krueger. **FRONT ROW:** L. McCormack, S. Johnston, V. Mihulka, L. Mueller, D. Kresha, D. Joy, J. McNair.

CINDY WAKE'S SQUAD — **BACK ROW:** A. Schaffer, C. Schroeder, B. Rood, K. Thraen, P. Rowe, C. Wake. **SECOND ROW:** P. Potter, S. Rezac, J. Overturf, B. Paprocki, C. Raymond, G. Poublon, Y. Steenbock. **FRONT ROW:** D. Rezac, D. Rupp, R. Reinke, S. Peppler, M. Soulliere, J. Pieper.

# Never-Ending Spirit

DONNA WELCH'S SQUAD — **BACK ROW:** L. Wilke, C. Stark, M. Sims, K. Smith, N. Siems, R. Zimmerman. **SECOND ROW:** D. Welch, K. Waldman, D. Thorpe, D. Vybiral, V. Wilke, S. Sander, V. Svoboda. **FRONT ROW:** B. Watchorn, D. Weeder, S. Wetgen, A. Zywiec, D. Wergin, N. Tiaden, L. Speicher, K. Turner.

DIANA ENGELMANN'S SQUAD — **BACK ROW:** J. Coffey, P. Dankert, C. Buss, S. Adams, D. Carr, K. Brouse, J. Dicke. **SECOND ROW:** D. Christiansen, C. Baldwin, C. Cumming, D. Engelmann, J. Eickhoff, B. Braithwait, J. Bock, B. Engel. **FRONT ROW:** C. Brunken, C. Bernt, B. Behle, C. Bonk, K. Eggli, N. Brubaker, K. Avery.

JANE HOGE'S SQUAD — **BACK ROW:** J. Hanak, D. Janssen, S. Henke, A. Friedlan, P. Gruenke, J. Hoge, D. Hespe, D. Joseph. **SECOND ROW:** K. Hadley, J. Fleischer, V. Honke, R. Graus, D. Kelly, K. Gigstad, L. Gay. **FRONT ROW:** R. Johnson, D. Galley, B. Grotelueschen, S. Hopkins, K. Jensen, D. Jones, R. Goetz, M. Kinzer.

MARLA MOHLMAN'S SQUAD — **BACK ROW:** K. Williams, M. Mohlman, G. Schmid, B. Soulliere, P. Speicher, C. Smith, S. Wallis, C. Runge, P. Rickert, S. Zuroski. **SECOND ROW:** K. Wessel, K. Yanders, L. Wake, L. Rice, D. Pfeifer, L. Sutton, C. Ptacek, R. Zobel, R. Swanson. **FRONT ROW:** J. Vybiral, C. Waite, C. Zimmer, J. Riley, J. Syslo, B. Olander, B. Spradley.

KAY RUDAT'S SQUAD — **BACK ROW:** S. Lannan, D. Nitz, B. Klevemann, P. Mazuch, M. Nyffeler, E. Korte, M. Koch, M. Kohlmeier. **MIDDLE ROW:** K. Rudat, C. Loseke, P. Nitz, C. MacFarland, T. Meyer, P. Larsen, M. Korte, B. Marshall, M. Kreft. **FRONT ROW:** P. Odgaard, L. Oppliger, C. Kripal, D. Mohr, L. Larsen, D. Klug, S. Oakeson, J. Krumland.

"You're kidding!! Buy one . . . when I can get one free?"

# SPIRIT — That Was the Word!

Downtown Pep Rallies were an example of CHS "spirit."

"Hang the Orangemen" was the cry of the mighty Discoverers.

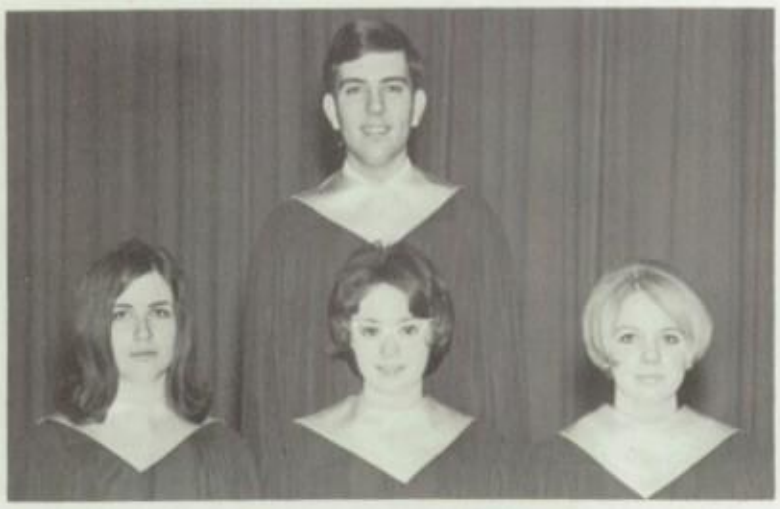
"C" Club members — Ralph Irwin, Frank Higgins, and John Staub — helped build future athletes.

"C" CLUB OFFICERS — **Secretary-Treasurer,** Gene Nyffeler; **Committee Chairman,** Ivan Jacobs; **Vice-President,** Danny Hartsel; **President,** Mike Floyd.

Local sports fans showed their spirit by attending home sports activities.

Mr. Larsen relieved his "tensions" by pursuing his hobby, painting.

Future "C" Club members anxiously watched one of the Columbus home basketball games.



ACCOMPANISTS — **BACK ROW:** Brian Granquist. **FRONT ROW:** Nancy Mohlman, Dona Wertz, Jody Emel.

SENIOR DOUBLE SEXTET — **BACK ROW:** Mary DeWitt, Nancy Abegglen, Bonnie Mihulka, Sarah MacFarland, Christine Vlasak, Christie Thorpe. **FRONT ROW:** Sharman Joseph, Kaye George, Lee Rathbun, Patricia Taylor, Sue McCarthy, Ann Loomis, Jody Emel, Accompanist.

# CHS Vocal Music Department

Columbus Senior High School vocal groups under the direction of Mr. Robert V. Larsen completed one of the most eventful years for the vocal music department. The one-hundred seventeen-member concert choir opened the season by traveling to the Tri-City Music Clinic held at Fremont, October 6.

The Nebraska State Music Educators Convention held in Sidney on November 16, 17, and 18 presented a challenge the Columbus participants. Bonnie Mihulka, Chris Thorpe, Chris Vlasak, Sharman Joseph, Lee Rathbun, Fred Behlen, and Doug Bullington gained new knowledge and experience through the clinic.

Showing a new facet of the music department was the handbell choir consisting of twelve members. It performed in the annual Christmas program "**A Part of Christmas**" on December 17. The seventy-five voice Sophomore Girls' Glee, the Chordells, small groups, soloists, and the concert choir also took part in the program.

The annual spring concert was in April. This concert gave many of the soloists and small groups an

CHOIR — **BACK ROW:** Mr. Robert V. Larsen, Director; K. Davy, S. Burroughs, G. Johansen, B. Jones, D. Kiser, S. Herfkens, D. McGee, B. Granquist. **FIFTH ROW:** F. Behlen, D. Kincaid, K. Apthorpe, D. Vander Ploeg, K. Davy, K. Wagner, A. Joy, S. Klutman, D. Hadcock, D. Vollbracht. **FOURTH ROW:** L. Kodad, B. Mohrmann, C. Thorpe, L. Gilmore, P. Gersib, R. Fleischer, V. Wilke, B. Mihulka, J. Sempek, C. Schmidt. **THIRD ROW:** R. Zimmerman, C. Wake, K. George, N. Mohlman, N. Auten, C. Falk, P. Taylor, N. Bullock, S. Johnston, R. Garbers. **SECOND ROW:** C. Dickenson, C. Rumbaugh, L. Goetz, K. Grotelueschen, W. Christensen, N. Graus, C. Spidle, D. Davenport, M. Egger, M. Ausman. **FRONT ROW:** C. Jones, L. Meschke, K. Boruch, N. Greenwall, A. Schaffer, B. Moran, C. Berry, J. Abbegglen.

CHOIR OFFICERS — **BACK ROW:** Douglas Bullington, Steven Klutman, Frederick Behlen, Kent Davy, Kevin Koutnik. **FRONT ROW:** Vicki Wilke, Kathryn Krumland, Christine Vlasak, Christie Thorpe, Nancy Graus.

SOPHOMORE TRIPLE TRIO — **BACK ROW:** Cheryl Buss, Patricia Larsen, Marjorie Kohlmeier, Monette Korte. **FRONT ROW:** Dian Kelly, Diane Joseph, Kathleen Eggli, Patricia Heiser, Leta Oppliger, Nancy Mohlman, Accompanist.

# Had Eventful Year in '68

opportunity to present their contest selections.

The Class A District Music Clinic was held April 19 at Bellevue. The concert choir, soloists, the Senior Double Sextette, Classmen, and other small groups performed before judges.

On May 4, 6, and 7, the choir presented for the public **How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying.**

Rounding out the school year, small groups also participated in the graduation cermonies.

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| Robe Chairman | Kevin Koutnik |
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| Attendance | Kathryn Krumland |
| Librarian | Christine Vlasak |
| Librarian | Christie Thorpe |
| Student Director | Steven Klutman |

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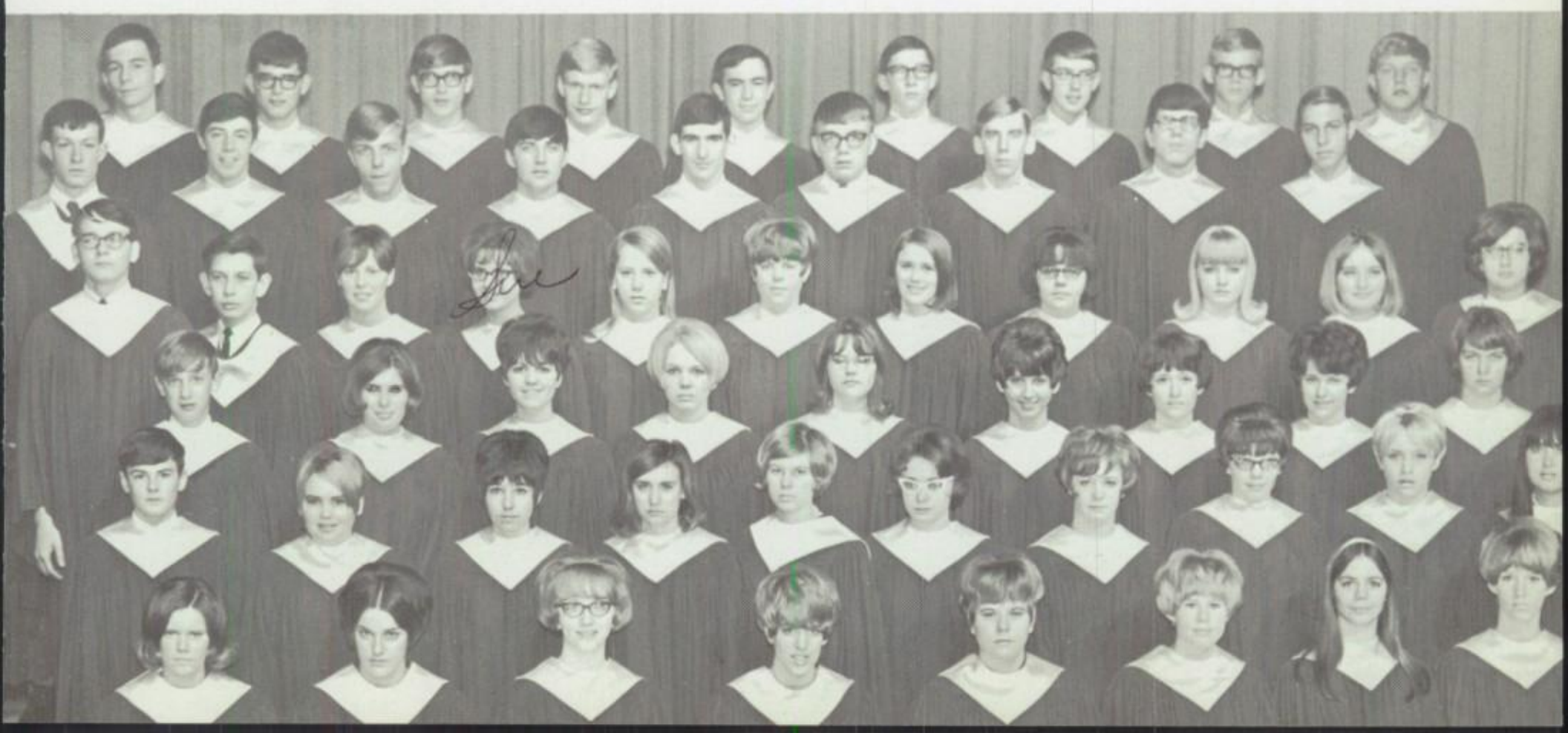
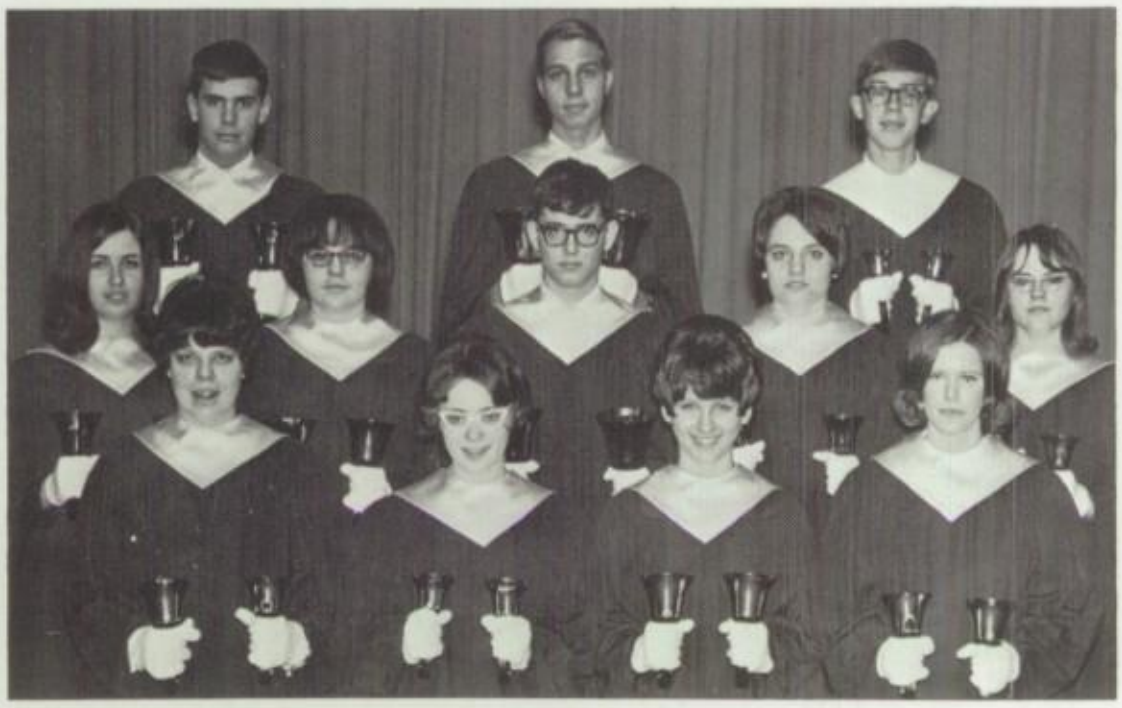
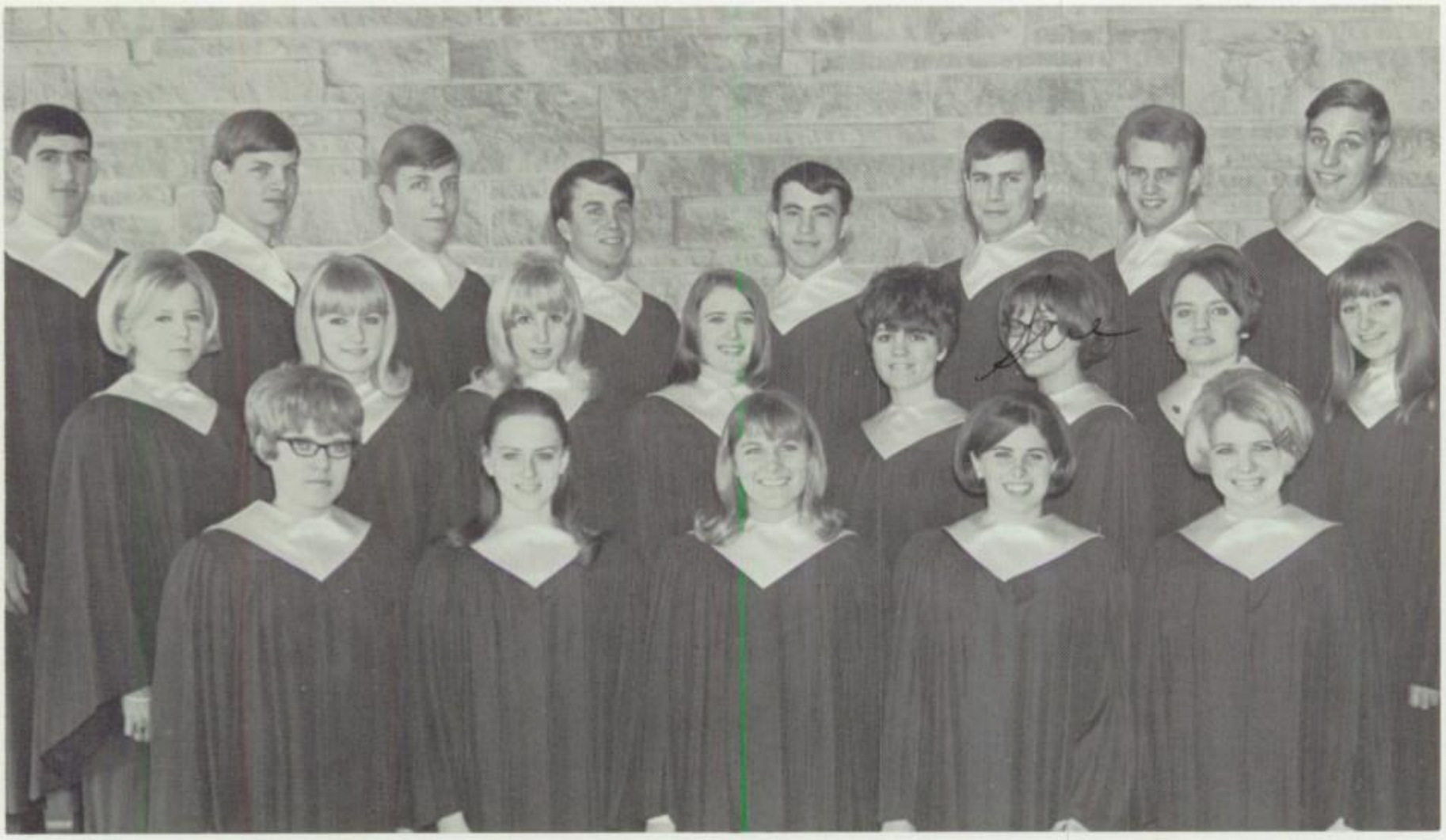


CLASSMEN — **BACK ROW:** R. Gersib, J. Jicha, F. Behlen, S. Klutman, S. Patrick. **SECOND ROW:** K. Davy, W. Greene, D. Bullington, M.Morkert. **FRONT ROW:** A. Joy, B. Berlin, J. Emel, Accompanist; C. Maurer, K. Wagner.



BELL CHOIR — **BACK ROW:** S. Klutman, S. Patrick, K. Davy. **MIDDLE ROW:** N. Mohlman, J. Loseke, C. Maurer, R. Zimmerman, M. Sommermeyer. **FRONT ROW:** C. Berry, D. Wertz, B. Loseke, N. Abegglen.

GIRLS' GLEE — **BACK ROW:** C. Buss, C. Heidy, T. Drozd, J. Dicke, D. Hespe, S. Zuroski, P. Nitz, J. Heins. **FOURTH ROW:** L. Wake, K. Miller, L. Sutton, K. Hadley, S. Reese, J. Hoge, L. Oppliger. **THIRD ROW:** Mr. Robert V. Larsen, Director; D. Engelmann, D. Galley, J. Eickhoff, D. Joseph, J. Riley, D. Rosendahl, R. Johnson, C. Zimmer. **SECOND ROW:** V. Debus, J. Jaeggi, B. Groteluschen, D. Jones, P. Frost, J. Krumland, M. Kinzer, J. Tworek. **FRONT ROW:** K. Williams, M. Mohlman,. M. Nyffeler, S. Adams, A. Friedlan, S. Wallis.



CHORDELLES — **BACK ROW:** J. Jicha, A. Joy, M. Morkert, W. Greene, D. Bullington, S. Klutman, K. Wagner, S. Patrick. **MIDDLE ROW:** J. Abegglen, D. Thorpe, C. Thorpe, C. Vlasak, S. Joseph, S. Sander, R. Zimmerman, T. Drozd. **FRONT ROW:** V. Wilke, D. Joseph, B. Milhulka, K. George, J. Emel, Accompanist.

# Choir Traveled to Bellevue for Contest

GIRLS' GLEE — **BACK ROW:** T. Meyer, M. Kohlmeier, K. RUDAT, C. Kripal, K. Brouse, P. Larsen, C. Runge, M. Korte. **FOURTH ROW:** B. Braithwait, D. Cattau, V. Honke, C. Baldwin, M. Kreft, P. Odgaard, E. Korte, D. Kelly. **THRID ROW:** J. Debus, D. Krueger, P. Heiser, R. Graus, C. Norris, B. Engel, L. Gay, L. Larsen. **SECOND ROW:** L. Osten, P. Augustine, K. Avery, J. Syslo, P. Schmitz, K. Eggli, D. Klug, B. Behle. **FIRST ROW:** P. Mazuch, D. Carr, S. Hilger, G. Schmid, S. Henke, S. Lannan.

**Hedy LaRue's,** Kaye George, twelve-words-a-minute typing skill assures her of a secure position in the World Wide Wicket Company with Executives.

**J. B. Bigley,** Fred Behlen, and **J. Pierpont Finch,** Steve Patrick, join in cheering the "gr-r-r-r oundhogs" on to victory.

"How to Succeed" concerns the machinations of an amiable young man who reads a "how to" book about business success and proceeds to put it into practice. As he moves upward in the World Wide Wicket Company, a firm in which the product is rather vague and the executives even more so about their duties, Finch encounters a true love, a blackmailable boss whose secretary is a "sweet kid," and the gloriously gruesome boss's nephew whose grooming for the Top Job becomes dishevveled after Finch finishes with him.

# Vocal Music Department

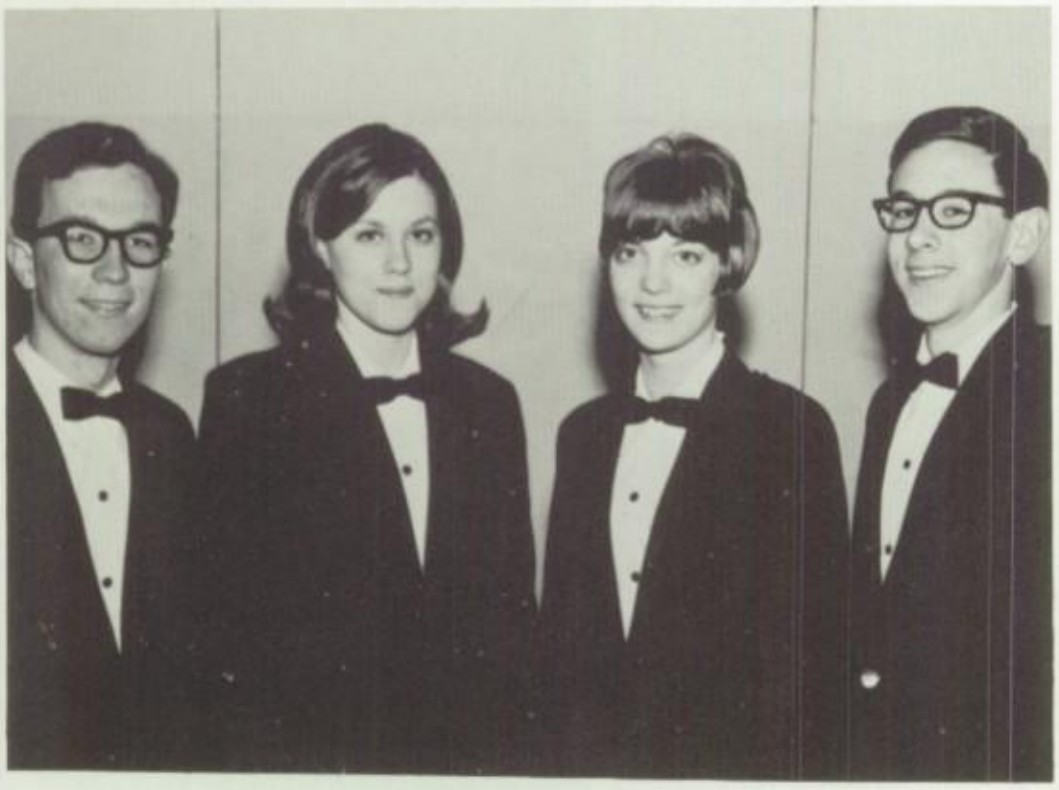
**Bud Frump,** Brian Granquist, and **Starlites** confide in **Smitty,** Carol Falk, that there is no coffee for coffee break after a hard morning's work.

**Rosemary,** Bonnie Mihulka, and **secretaries** — Chris Vlasak, Sharman Joseph, Jane Abegglen, Linda Kodad, and Beth Loseke — find that their "Paris Original" wasn't so orginal after all.

# Presented "How to Succeed in Business"

**J. Pierpont Finch,** Steve Patrick, **Smitty,** Sharman Joseph, and **Rosemary,** Bonnie Mihulka, all agree that "It's Been a Long Day."

**Hedy LaRue,** Kaye George, was instructed by **J. B. Bigley,** Fred Behlen, and **J. P. Finch,** Steve Patrick, in final instructions as the World Wide Wicket Treasure Girl.



BAND OFFICERS — Lee Stinson, Peg Potter, Patricia Gersib, Robert Lohr.

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# Columbus High Band Earned

**BACK ROW: STANDING** — N. Auten, N. Tiaden, C. Raymond, L. Person, D. Oppliger, G. Schlesinger, S. Moersen, P. Woerth, M. Johnston, W. Rafferty, L. Meschke. **SEATED** — M. Schwartzer, J. Heins. **FOURTH ROW:** R. Graus, L. Larsen, D. Ziola, B. Soulliere, L. Gay, J. Deckert. **THIRD ROW:** J. Lemke, R. Zimmerman, J. Evans, B. Rood, L. Gilmore, P. Nitz, B. Johansen, T. Henninger, J. Burns, D. Walla, R. Foreman, S. Herfkins, M. Applegate, C. Fyfe. **SECOND ROW:** S. Johnston, M. Newton, L. Dischner, J. Kummetz, E. Gigstad, J. Johnson, M. Sims, R. Shaw, K. Carlson. **FRONT ROW:** D. Eggli, K. George, S. Earl, C. Schlegelmilch, P. Gersib.

In his twenty-third year, Mr. Kenneth A. Johnson again led the CHS band to a glorious season. On October 28, the one-hundred-piece marching band earned a Division 1 rating at State Marching Contest in Lincoln. Rated by top-notch band directors from throughout the country, the band was rated on performance, music, routines, and general effect.

Brian Granquist earned places in the State Music Clinic Band, November 16, 17, and 18, under the direction of J. R. McEntyre from Texas and in the Hastings Honor Band, February 9 and 10, under the direction of Ralph Strouff.

On February 27, the annual spring concert was performed for the public. Entitled "Sounds of '68," the program featured "Festive Overture," "Vaquero," and "Stars and Stripes Forever." Accompanied by the Pep Band, the majorettes twirled to "Music to Watch Girls By." Symphonette, a select group of bandsmen, performed selections such as "Rhapsody in Blue," "More, " and "I Do, I Do."

On March 15, Columbus hosted the Mid-East Band Festival. Bandsmen and directors attended from Lincoln Northeast, Beatrice, Fairbury, and Columbus. Twenty-two members of the CHS band were selected to participate in the one-hundred-piece Festival band. Soloists and ensembles performed in the afternoon; the Festival band and concert bands, in the evening.

On April 19, the concert band, three soloists, and four ensembles entered the Class A competition in the District Music Contest held at Bellevue. Each earned a numerical rating from judges from surrounding states.

Bands from the sixth grade through high school level took part in "Bando-rama" on May 14. Under the direction of Mr. Kent Phillips and Mr. Kenneth A. Johnson, the bands illustrated how progress was made during the year in each level.

# "I" at State Marching Contest

**BACK ROW: SEATED** — M. Porter, S. Hansen. **STANDING** — Mr. Kenneth A. Johnson, Director; R. Orr, R. Klug, M. Kreft, M. Ernst. **FOURTH ROW:** K. Apthorpe, R. Burns, W. Wertz, S. Nelson, T. Clabaugh, D. Janssen, D. Vollbracht, J. Behle, D. Kincaid, D. Eilers, L. Rathbun, D. Hadcock, D. Vollbracht, R. Lohr. **THIRD ROW:** R. Herms, C. Falk, N. Siems, D. Smejkal, K. Gigstad, K. Eggli, P. Potter, P. Rickert, B. Kallweit, L. Stinson, D. Kline, K. McCamley, J. Jacobsen, N. Gruenhage, R. Jones. **SECOND ROW:** M. Rayburn, C. Jones, P. Potter, L. Porter, J. Eickhoff, D. Davidson, K. Turner, G. Curry, W. Christenson, B. Behle. **FRONT ROW:** M. Ambrose, P. Jeffers, D. Davenport, R. Fleischer, P. Rafferty, B. Grandquist.

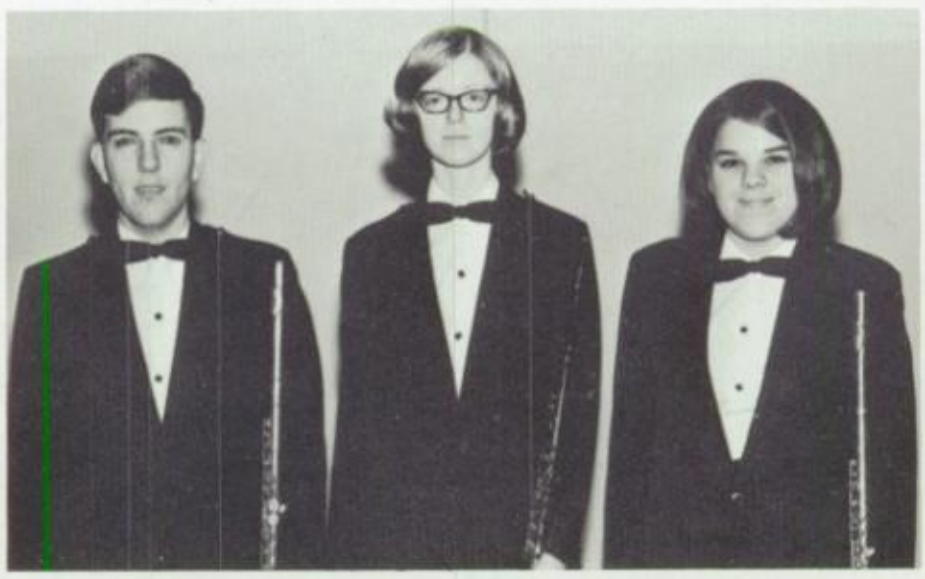
PEP BAND — **BACK ROW:** John Heins, Michael Schwartzer, Stephen Moersen, Murry Johnston, Douglas Oppliger, Lori Person. **THIRD ROW:** Norma Gruenhage, Robert Jones, Robert Burns, Lee Stinson, Darryl Hadcock, David Vollbracht, Robert Lohr. **SECOND ROW:** Kathryn McCamley, John Jacobsen, Steven Herfkens, Colleen Fyfe, Michael Applegate, Ronald Herms, Carol Falk, Nancy Siems, Dale Smejkal. **FRONT ROW:** Cynthia Jones, Peg Potter, Sharon Johnston, Sandra Earl, Kriste George, Douglas Eggli, Phyllis Rafferty, Brian Granquist.

# Small Groups Provided Entertainment

SYMPHONETTE — **STANDING:** Douglas Oppliger, Stephen Moersen, Murry Johnston, Lois Mescheke. **THIRD ROW:** Ronald Herms, Colleen Fyfe, Michael Schwartzer, John Heins, Robert Burns, Lee Stinson, Darryl Hadcock, David Vollbracht, Robert Lohr. **SECOND ROW:** Dale Smejkal, Nancy Siems, Carol Falk, Jamie Johnson, Mary Sims, Kathleen Carlson, Cynthia Jones, Peg Potter, Kathryn McCamley, John Jacobsen, Norma Gruenhage, Robert Jones. **FRONT ROW:** Douglas Eggli, Kriste George, Sandra Earl, Sharon Johnston, Patricia Gersib, Risa Fleischer, Phyllis Rafferty, Brian Granquist.

MAJORETTES — Nancy Auten, Mary Ernst, Norma Tiaden, Marvel Kreft, Christine Raymond, Renee Klug.

# at Games, Programs



FLUTE TRIO — Brian Granquist, Phyllis Rafferty, Risa Fleischer.

SOLOISTS — Robert Jones, Dale Smejkel, Darryl Hadcock.

FRENCH HORN QUARTET — Robert Jones, Norma Gruenhage, John Jacobsen, Kathryn McCamley.

CORNET QUARTET — Dale Smejkal, Nancy Siems, Carol Falk, Ronald Herms.

# Talented Students Composed Quartets

CLARINET QUARTET — Douglas Eggli, Sandra Earl, Kathleen Carlson, Mary Sims.

Early morning practices gave good results.

DECA — **BACK ROW:** M. Cline, N. Frazer, L. Kuta, K. Collier, R. Geier. **THIRD ROW:** D. Hadcock, A. Douglass, D. Bremer, R. Hughes, C. Berry, C. Hahn, M. Fyfe, L. Basler. **SECOND ROW:** W. Fricke, L. Horak, D. Brown, N. Hegi, R. Evans, G. Bernt, L. Farnham, P. Gotschall. **FRONT ROW:** Mr. Fred Osenbaugh, Adviser; Diane Kobza, **TREASURER;** Lynda Nickolite, **SECRETARY;** Steve Narans, **PRESIDENT;** Brian Braithwait, **VICE-PRESIDENT;** Rosemary Blessen, **PARLIAMENTARIAN.**

# DECA Sought Development of Leaders.

Development of future leaders in marketing distribution was the major goal of the Columbus DECA chapter. A better understanding of the marketing world, civic duty, and business education were some of the aspects of this goal presented to the members. Each of the students had one common objective — studying for a specific career in Business Education.

Fifty-one DECA members met every other Tuesday at breakfast meetings to discuss various aspects of the marketing program. Guest speakers, usually businessmen from the Columbus area, gave interesting lectures and led the students in discussions. The Distributive Education Club of America, a national organization, strove to better the employer-employee relationship by the co-operative training program. According to the program, businessmen agreed to supervise and train a senior marketing student who was paid for his part-time work at the same rate of pay as one who was employed full-time, thus giving the student both the experience a chance to earn extra money.

Sale of DECA football dolls raised the necessary money for the annual employer-employee banquet given to honor the representatives and businessmen involved in the training program. The dolls were bought from an Omaha wholesale organization and resold by DECA members.

DECA — **BACK ROW:** R. Romanek, G. Schlesinger, V. Placek, J. Wilken, J. Wilcynski, P. Jasper, M. Vavricek, K. Wurdeman. **MIDDLE ROW:** C. Schroeder, A. Schaffer, T. Obrist, J. Moss, A. Woodworth, B. Zobel, D. Zimmer. **FRONT ROW:** R. Wrubel, B. Preston, H. Mikkelsen, C. Schmidt, D. Mielak, J. Zwiener, M. Stueck.

INITIATED — **BACK ROW:** F. Behlen, I. Duncan, M. Daniels, C. Jones, M. DeWitt, M. Ambrose, M. Olson, C. Korte, J. Lemke, D. Kiser. **SECOND ROW:** J. Vavricek, C. Berry, L. Gilmore, L. Rae, K. Krumland, R. Fleischer, M. Miller, C. Falk, T. Lund, K. George. **FRONT ROW:** M. Ernst, N. Auten, S. Johnston, C. Spidle, L. Rathbun, L. Luckey, J. Zwiener.

# Thespians Got Practice

"Sakini here! Socks up!"

One of the larger organizations at CHS was Thespians, with this years enrollment totaling over one hundred members. All members were required to attend meetings held on the first and third Mondays of each month. Each member of Thespians was assigned to one of five committees — costume, make-up, scenery, properties, and publicity. Merits were given according to the amount of work done and the number of tickets sold for each play. Fifty merits entitled one to be initiated. Thespians also provided usherettes and concessions

UNINITIATED — **BACK ROW:** K. Apthorpe, K. Blessen, R. Herr, D. Hadcock, J. Johnson, K. Bembry, J. Evans, C. Fozworthy, N. Greenwall, B. Braithwait, S. Burroughs. **THIRD ROW:** M. Johnston, S. Adams, A. Friedlan, D. Carr, G. Curry, J. Hoge, D. Hespe, S. Cronin, B. Berlin, M. Fulton, K. Davy. **SECOND ROW:** S. Buchholz, N. Bullock, J. Bock, M. Burge, K. Wessel, K. George, K. Hecke, N. Berchtold, C. Dickenson, R. Graus, J. Fleischer, B. Braithwait. **FRONT ROW:** K. Gigstad, J. Eickhoff, P. Heiser, K. Eggli, S. Iwan, C. Fyfe, E. Gigstad, C. Crebbin, W. Christensen, D. Davenport.

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# in Dramatic Art

for Friends of Music concerts.

Five citizens, interested in dramatics, were asked to serve as judges for awards to be given for best actor, actress, best supporting actor and actress. The judges announced the recipients of each award at the spring banquet.

Thespians produced two plays — "Teahouse of the August Moon" on November 20 and 21 and an All-School play on February 4 and 5. Each play required many hours of labor, not only of the cast but also of the various committees.

Mr. Clark brings his contribution for the play.

UNINITIATED — **BACK ROW:** S. Patrick, K. Williams, T. Rich, L. Luchtel, L. Luchtel, G. Schmid, L. Person, J. Kummetz, A. Schaffer, S. Wurdeman, S. Moersen. **THIRD ROW:** B. Moran, B. Nelson, P. Potter, K. Keller, Y. Mihulka, M. Kohlmeier, K. Rudat, L. Wake, K. Miller, C. MacFarland. **SECOND ROW:** P. Nitz, T. Meyer, L. Sutton, D. Luckey, D. Mimick, K. Yanders, P. Zerr, T. Rodgers, L. Oppliger. **FRONT ROW:** D. Joseph, C. Kripal, M. Kreft, S. Joseph, D. Rabourn, P. Santage, J. Swanson, D. Joy, J. Krumland, J. McNair.

**Lotus Blossum,** Kris Keller, dances in honor of **Captain Fisby,** Steve Patrick, as guests look on.

# Teahouse of the August Moon — John Patrick

Purdy, a pompous army colonel, sent Fisby, a former college professor, to an Okinawan village to help make it self-supporting and to introduce basic democratic principles. Upon arriving, Captain Fisby met Sakini, a rouguish native interpreter who helped him learn the native customs and language. The captain found it was easier to accept the native customs than to try to follow Purdy's idea of making the natives learn democracy; and having been deeply influenced by the natives, Fisby decided to build a teahouse for the townspeople instead of a pentagon-shaped schoolhouse. The Colonel chose to make his inspection of the village at the time of the celebration for the opening of the teahouse. In the ensuing chaos, Fisby feared court martial, and the Colonel demotion; but word arrived that Congress had received reports that this was the most progressive village on the island, and all was forgiven.

**Sakini,** Kent Davy, shows **Colonel Purdy,** Richard Herr, that the map is upside down as **Captain Fisby,** Steve Patrick, looks on.

"It's not a kimono . . . it's a bathrobe. And I don't want to put it on," said **Captain Fisby,** Steve Patrick, to **Lotus Blossum,** Kris Keller.

**Telephone Repair Man,** Emerson Semple; **Corrie's Mother, Mrs. Banks,** Carol Falk; **Paul Bratter,** Kent Davy; **Corrie Bratter,** Lee Rathbun; **Victor Velasco,** Fred Behlen; **Delivery Man,** Murry Johnston.

# Barefoot in the Park — Neil Simon

Two young people, Corrie and Paul Bratter, carried this play through as a newly married couple facing the many pitfalls and joys of young married life. They attempted to settle down in a five-story apartment building, meeting the hardships of living on the top floor in a tiny, but suitable room. Corrie, a witty, fun-loving wife, arranged a date for her mother, a lonely woman thoroughly engrossed in all her illnesses, with Mr. Velasco, a rather aged, but young-at-heart playboy.

After a series of mix-ups, Corrie pleaded for a divorce. In the closing scenes, after seeking her mother's advice, Corrie realized that her mother no longer needed her now that she had Mr. Velasco to look after her. As Corrie prepared to leave to find Paul, he returned to their apartment. The play closed with Corrie and Paul trying to regain their confidence in each other and to secure their marriage.

**Mr. Velasco,** Fred Behlen, and **Corrie Bratter,** Lee Rathbun, bring coffee to wearied **Mrs. Banks,** Carol Falk, and **Paul Bratter,** Kent Davy.

. . . "Your laundry came back today. . . They stuffed your shirts beautifully," said **Corrie Bratter,** Lee Rathbun, to **Paul Bratter,** Kent Davy.

FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA — **BACK ROW:** J. Coffey, J. Hanak, C. Kant, L. Gehring, J. Theilen, P. Dankert, M. Korte, L. Kinzer, K. Henke, B. Kracman. **THIRD ROW:** D. Bremer, D. Nitz, J. Deckert, D. Janssen, E. Korte, D. Sliva, B. Way, B. Mohrman, C. Kosinski. **SECOND ROW:** R. Brunken, P. Rickert, N. Berchtold, D. Rezac, K. Hadley, D. Joseph, C. Norris, D. Rupp, P. Odgaard, D. Krepel. **FRONT ROW:** M. Inselman, J. Groteluschen, J. Sliva, J. McNair, P. Gotschall, L. Staroscik, J. Groteluschen, L. Osten.

# Chris Kant, Bruce Mueller

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Crowning of the FFA-FHA royalty, Christine Kant and Bruce Mueller, highlighted the December 12 Christmas banquet. On January 23, the chapter was invited to attend a special meeting of the Schuyler FHA. The spring programs consisted of people in the Columbus area speaking on Braille, Money Management, and Civil Defense.

The senior girl with the most merits was named Miss FHA. Miss F — the senior with the second most merits, Miss H — a junior with the most merits, and Miss A — a sophomore with the most merits were also recognized. Members of FHA earned merits by attending meetings, wearing FHA colors, for officers wearing their blazers, and for members wearing their pins on days FHA meeting were held.

On October 13, forty FHA members from junior and senior high attended the District III Convention in Clarkson. National FHA week, April 1-6, was concluded with the State Convention, April 6.

FFA-FHA ROYALTY — Lynn Kinzer, Jan Groteluschen, Linda Gehrin, **QUEEN:** Chris Kant,**KING:** Bruce Mueller; Gene Lo-

FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA — **BACK ROW:** G. Loseke, D. Muhle, T. Rickert, G. Killham, G. Hellbusch, R. Oppliger, D. Sieh, L. Kobus, F. Siefken, L. Smith. **THIRD ROW:** Mr. Ralph Eickhoff, Adviser; J. Morgan, B. Mueller, D. Alswager, W. Lusche, D. Osten, L.Theilen, C. Reick, B. Tworek, D. Borchers. **SECOND ROW:** L. Dirks, L. Will, T. Siemek, R. Kudron, E. Theilen, R. Kapels, G. Theilen, L. Davis, G. Davis. **FRONT ROW:** R. Klug, G. Arndt, A. Runge, D. Sander, D. Wurdeman, D. Nyffeler, T. Wurdeman.

# Crowned at FFA-FHA Banquet

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EXECUTIVE BOARD — **BACK ROW:** Mr. Ralph Eickhoff, Adviser; Duayne Muhle, William Lusche, Dana Wurdeman. **FRONT ROW:** Bruce Mueller, Donald Sieh, Gene Loseke.

seke, Donald Sieh, Dana Wurdeman, **CROWN-BEARERS:** Pam Kapels, Kevin Groteluschen.

Attendance at the Leadership Camp, Curtis, Nebraska, began the series of events in which the Future Farmers of America participated. Another annual event that gave added pleasure to the Platte County Fair was the Children's Barnyard. Sponsored by the organization, it displayed unusual livestock entires which were also shown at the State Fair.

A combined FFA-FHA hayrack ride, October 13, started the school year. In November, the Greenhands' initiation banquet added twenty-seven new members to the FFA roll, increasing the total membership to forty-two.

The major money-making project was the selling of Vitality Garden Seeds. Contests were another major part of the yearly FFAprogram. Districts were held February 24 at Henderson, Nebraska. Columbus members also attended the State Convention on March 28,29,30. At the end of the year, an honors convocation was held to honor some of its members

EXECUTIVE BOARD — **BACK ROW:** Kathryn Krumland, Cynthia Jones, Mr. Clarence Bower. **FRONT ROW:** Risa Fleischer, Janice Vavricek, Rita Oppliger, Nancy Mohlman.

OFFICERS

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| President | Cynthia Jones |
| Vice-President | Rita Oppliger |
| Secretary | Janice Vavricek |
| Treasurer | Kathryn Krumland |
| Historian | Nancy Mohlman |
| Parliamentarian | Risa Fleischer |
| Adviser | Mr. Clarence J. Bower |

# FTA Guided Path Toward Jobs in Teaching

Future Teachers of America, a national organization affiliated with the National and Nebraska State Education Associations, was sponsored by the Columbus Education Association under the able leadership of Mr. C.J. Bower. The purpose of FTA was to help students become better acquainted with the teaching professions by observation and study of the various phases of successful teaching to help determine whether or not they want to become teachers.

FTA members served as teacher aids — helping in every capacity they could. Another project was presenting favors to the teachers before each holiday. Plans were made for members to visit various schools to gain experience in different levels of teaching.

FTA members enjoyed a variety of guest speakers throughout the year.

FUTURE TEACHERS OF AMERICA — **BACK ROW:** C. Jones, J. Kummetz, P. Boettcher, D. Carr, K. Krumland, R. Fleischer, N. Mohlman, R. Oppliger. **MIDDLE ROW:** P. Larsen, C. Runge, T. Meyer, R. Swanson, B. Loseke, M. Cyza, J. Beck, M. Fulton, J. Vavricek. **FRONT ROW:** T. Rodgers, K. Jensen, J. Eickhoff, R. Johnson, B. Behle, N. Gruenhage, J. Pieper, B. Walters, J. Longman.

EXECUTIVE BOARD

President ..... Thomas Rich

Vice-President ..... Michael Brown

Secretary-Treasurer ..... Mary Sims

Reporter ..... William Rafferty

Advisers ..... Mr. Chris Dixon
..... Mr. Alan Griffith
..... Mr. David Swartz

EXECUTIVE BOARD — **BACK ROW:** Mr. Chris Dixon, Mr. Alan Griffith, Mr. David Swartz, Advisers. **FRONT ROW:** Thomas Rich, Mary Sims, Michael Brown, William Rafferty.

# New Club Formed by Science Enthusiasts

Mary Sommermeyer and Mary Beth Sims worked diligently in determining the regeneration of planaria which was their Science Club project.

Science Club, a new organization to CHS, was formed by the science teachers and science-minded students to give them various opportunities in science-related fields.

The aims of the Science Club are to increase the members' knowledge of science, learn to perfect their science skills, give service to the community and nation, and to understand the importance of science in their lives.

Each member had a project in the field of science in which he was most interested. Some of the projects were entered in Science Fairs throughout the state.

A total of eighteen members met on the second and fourth Thursday of each month. Speakers from various areas of science gave programs and tours were made of hospitals and industries in the surrounding area.

SCIENCE CLUB — **BACK ROW:** M. Hook, D. Eilers, L. Luchtel, T. Rich, S. Eymann, M. Sims, B. Berlin. **FRONT ROW:** K. Davy, M. Brown, D. McGee, R. Walters, W. Rafferty, K. Hadley, M. Sommermeyer.

Cheryl Osten helped Mrs. Bullock sort the daily mail.

Files presented a major job for Janice McKee and Chris Kant.

# Girls Offered Time

Girls on the office staff often helped make life easier for the students around CHS. They assisted the office workers in performing numerous small but vital duties necessary for the proper maintenance of a high school office.

One of their first duties of the day was the gathering of absence and tardy slips from each home room. Other duties included filing, typing, answering the telephone, preparing the next day's bulletin, and filing report cards.

Office helpers were mostly junior and senior girls who took the business education courses. They gained experience in office skills and also learned how to run a large organization efficiently.

Office work was a big task for Wendy Latare as she worked on the absentee file each day.

Running the mimeograph machines was a daily job of office workers, Linda Gehring and Pat Briggs.

Typing was one of the most needed skills for office workers, especially for Debbie Loseke.

EXECUTIVE BOARD — Miss Ellen Cahill, Adviser; Linda Cline, Karen Corder, Gloria Wilke, Patricia Kudron.

OFFICERS

President ..... Karen Corder

Vice-President ..... Gloria Wilke

Secretary ..... Patricia Kudron

Treasurer ..... Linda Cline

Adviser ..... Miss Ellen Cahill

# and Help as Office Workers and Librarians

Helpful Junior Librarians aided many CHS students during the year. A major project was the sponsoring of a continuous paperback book sale. Previously held for one week in November, it was extended to the full year to give students an opportunity to widen their reading interests.

The duties assigned to girls as Junior Librarians helped them gain an understanding of the library system. Working under the supervision of the school librarian and advisor of Junior Librarians, Miss Cahill, each girl spent a period each day learning to catalogue materials and to acquire skills necessary for developing an efficient library system.

Kathy Bitter showed Pam Chollar and LaRee Wilson how to load the projector.

Junior Librarians — Judy Longman, Cathy Rains, and Betty Bitter studied with the helpful aid of the recorder.

Pat Scheel, editor-in-chief, discusses the final layout with Nancy Auten.

Mr. Lacey helped continuously with the publishing of the paper.

# New Ideas, Old Head

Deadlines met, layouts drawn, and stories hastily written were jobs that filled numerous hectic and memorable hours of **The Discoverer** staff members. The newspaper, published bi-monthly, returned to the traditional paper size and head. The junior journalism class also published the football and basketball programs.

Of the twelve juniors and three seniors on the staff, six members represented CHS at the Nebraska High School Press Association in Lincoln on October 20. Pat Scheel, Kathy Krumland, Pat Taylor, Nancy Auten, Candy Dickenson, and Karen Bembry attended lectures and workshops to learn more about the production and management of a good high school newspaper.

As their main project of the year, **The Discoverer** staff sponsored a victory bonfire at Lake North on November 30. Boxes, gathered separately by each class, were burned in honor of the first basketball game.

Wendy Christinsen, Jane Abegglen, and Pam Chollar pick up their assignments.

Karen Bembry, Kathy Krumland, and Jamie Johnson prepare the camera før taking some quick snapshots.

# on '68 Newspaper

**THE DISCOVERER** Staff

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|---|---|
| Editor-in-Chief | Pat Scheel |
| Business Manager | Karen Corder |
| Circulation Manager | Karen Bembry |
| Photographer | Kathy Krumland |
| Sports Editor | Nancy Auten |
| Reporter | Jane Abegglen |
| Reporter | Wendy Christinsen |
| Reporter | Pam Chollar |
| Reporter | Conne Crebbin |
| Reporter | Candy Dickenson |
| Reporter | Kathy Hecke |
| Reporter | Dean Johnson |
| Reporter | Jamie Johnson |
| Reporter | Pat Kudron |
| Reporter | Jeannie Swanson |
| Adviser | Mr. G. W. Lacey |

Conne Crebbin, Candy Dickenson, and Jeannie Swanson check through their assignments for the paper.

Pat Taylor, Pat Kudron, Kathy Hecke and Dean Johnson typed final copies for the press.

**BUSINESS MANAGER**
Pat Gersib

**EDITOR**
Beth Loseke

**LAYOUT MANAGER**
Chris Spidle

# Discoverer Staff Tried for Best Annual

Jan Vavricek, Mary Fulton, MariBeth Stephens, Rita Oppliger, Irene Duncan, and Chris Thorpe worked industriously toward the completion of the annual.

Edited by a staff composed mainly of seniors, the annual endeavored to preserve the lasting memories of the school year. Striving to compile a yearbook superior to the previous years, the staff used criticisms of the NSPA and CSPA made on other yearbooks to improve the quality of the annual.

On October 20, five members of the staff and advisor, Miss Limes, attended the Nebraska High School Convention at the Nebraska Center for Continuing Education in Lincoln. Sue Cronin, Karen Blessen, Pat Gersib, and Peg Potter attended workshops on layouts, copywriting, and photography. Editor, Beth Loseke, was under the supervision of Miss Hazel Presson, President of NHSPA.

The future staff leaders, Karen Blessen, John Burns, and Sue Cronin learn the techniques for publishing an annual.

Maureen Daniels, Mary Ann Miller, and Linda Rae all agree that pictures can be funny at times.

## DISCOVERER STAFF

Editor ..... Beth Loseke
Assistant Editor ..... Karen Blessen
Business Manager ..... Pat Gersib
Assistant Business Manager ..... John Burns
Layout Manager ..... Chris Spidle
Assistant Layout Manager ..... Sue Cronin
Copywriter ..... Peg Potter
Assistant Copywriter ..... Karen Bembry
Feature Editor ..... Linda Rae
Feature Editor ..... Mary Ann Miller
Photographer ..... Maureen Daniels
Senior Class Editor ..... Chari Rumbaugh
Senior Class Editor ..... Chris Vlasak
Junior Class Editor ..... Mary Buchholz
Sophomore Class Editor ..... Mary Sommermeyer
Organization Editor ..... Jan Vavricek
Organization Editor ..... Mary Fulton
Department Editor ..... Chris Thorpe
Department Editor ..... Irene Duncan
Music-Dramatic Editor ..... Mary Beth Stephens
Faculty Editor ..... Rita Oppliger
Sports Editor ..... Steve Ferris
Sports Editor ..... Dana Loseke
Sports Editor ..... John Ballew
Sports Editor ..... Ivan Jacobs
Typist ..... Brian Granquist
Typist ..... Kaye George
Adviser ..... Miss Eleanore Limes

Copywriter, Peg Potter, explained to her assistant, Karen Bembry, the procedures of copywriting.

Annual adviser, Miss Limes, enjoyed counting annual sale money.

John Ballew, Ivan Jacobs, Steve Ferris, and Dana Loseke looked over past issues, finding new ideas for the sports pages.

Working diligently throughout the year were annual typists Kaye George and Brian Granquist.

Working for perfection, the class editors studied new and different ideas for class pages.

CUSTODIANS: Joe Podraza, Edward Zimmer, Arnold Muhle, Fred Went, Jonathan Semmler.

STAGE CREW — **BACK ROW:** Brad Berlin, Fred Behlen. **FRONT ROW:** Tom Rich, Brian Nelson, Joe Zwiener.

# Crews Helped Maintain School

SHOP FOREMEN — **BACK ROW:** H. Best, D. Hartsel, D. Leonhard, R. Best, T. Schwank, G. Drum. **FRONT ROW:** M. Mahlin, G. Dicke, D. Behlen, D. Zulkoski, E. Sumovich, D. Speicher.

PROJECTION CREW: Don Zulkoski, Ed Sumovich.

Mrs. Helen Nitz

Mrs. Loretta Nitz

Mrs. Lucille Hollmann
MANAGER

# Inventive Cooks Prepared Meals for Students

Mrs. Mary Sohl

Mrs. Hollmann worked vigorously as hungry students waited in line.

Mrs. Genevieve Knight

Mrs. Mille Muhle

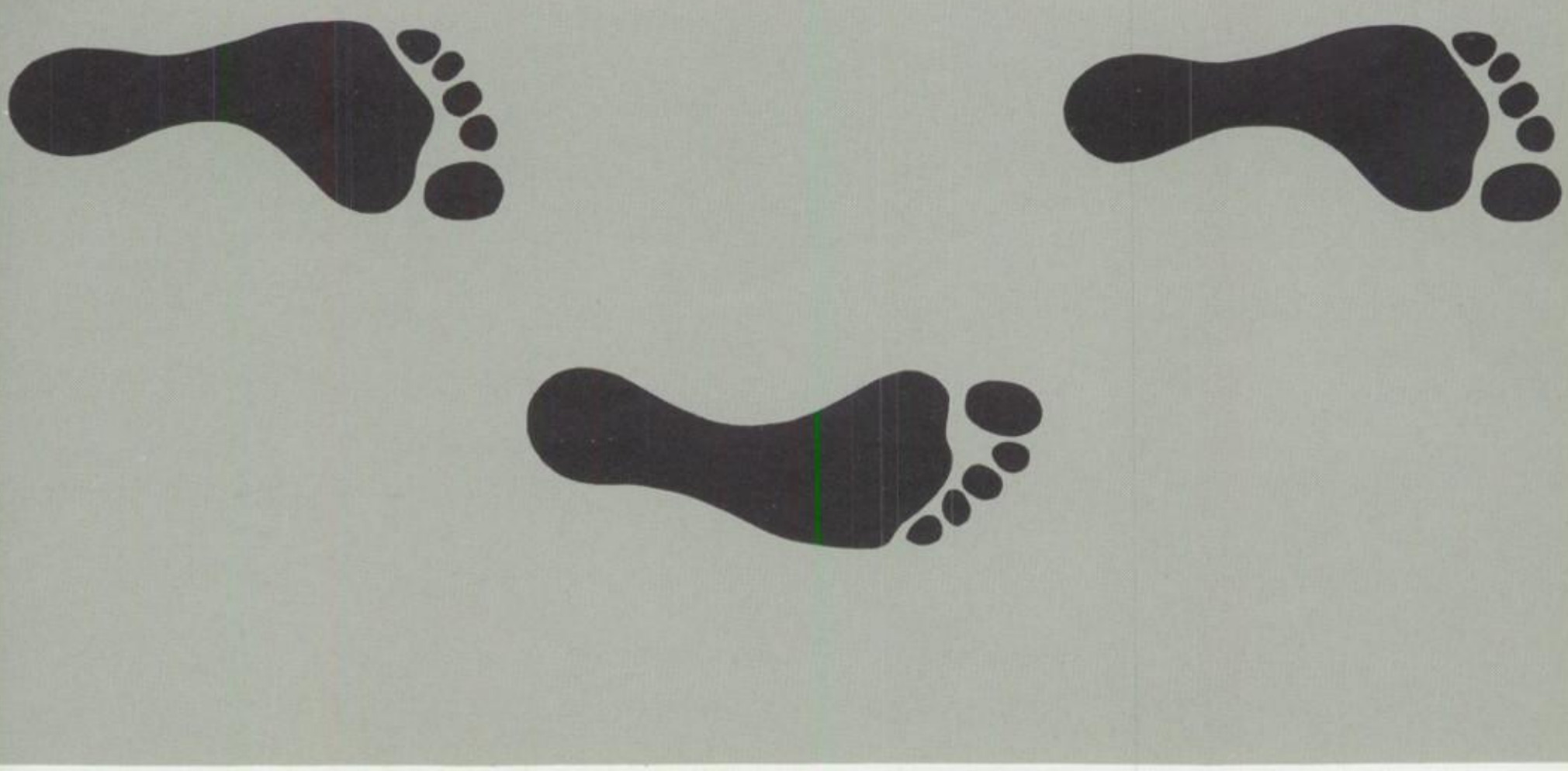
Mrs. Delores King

Mrs. Florence Luchsinger

Mrs. Lorene Cattau

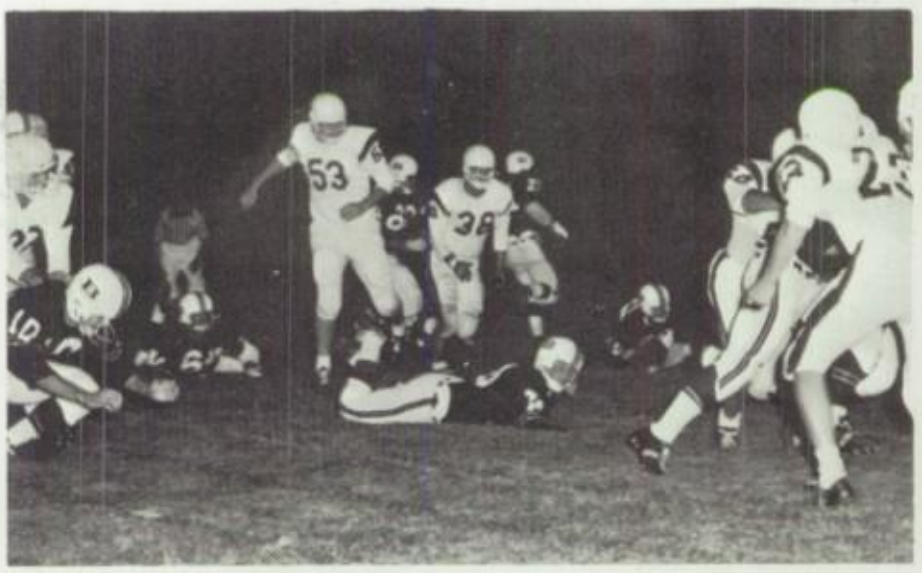
EVINRUDE

# ATHLETICS



VARSITY — **BACK ROW:** Head Coach, Del Miller; Assistant, Ron Callan; M. Floyd, S. Klutman, T. Brock, J. Jicha, K. Kennedy, G. Schaefer, G. Schlesinger, D. Rudat. **FRONT ROW:** S. Bullington, D. Hurt, B. Greene, D. Bullington, M. Ernst, M. Scribner, J. Pocwierz, B. Christiansen, T. Rogers.

# Varsity Gridmen Posted

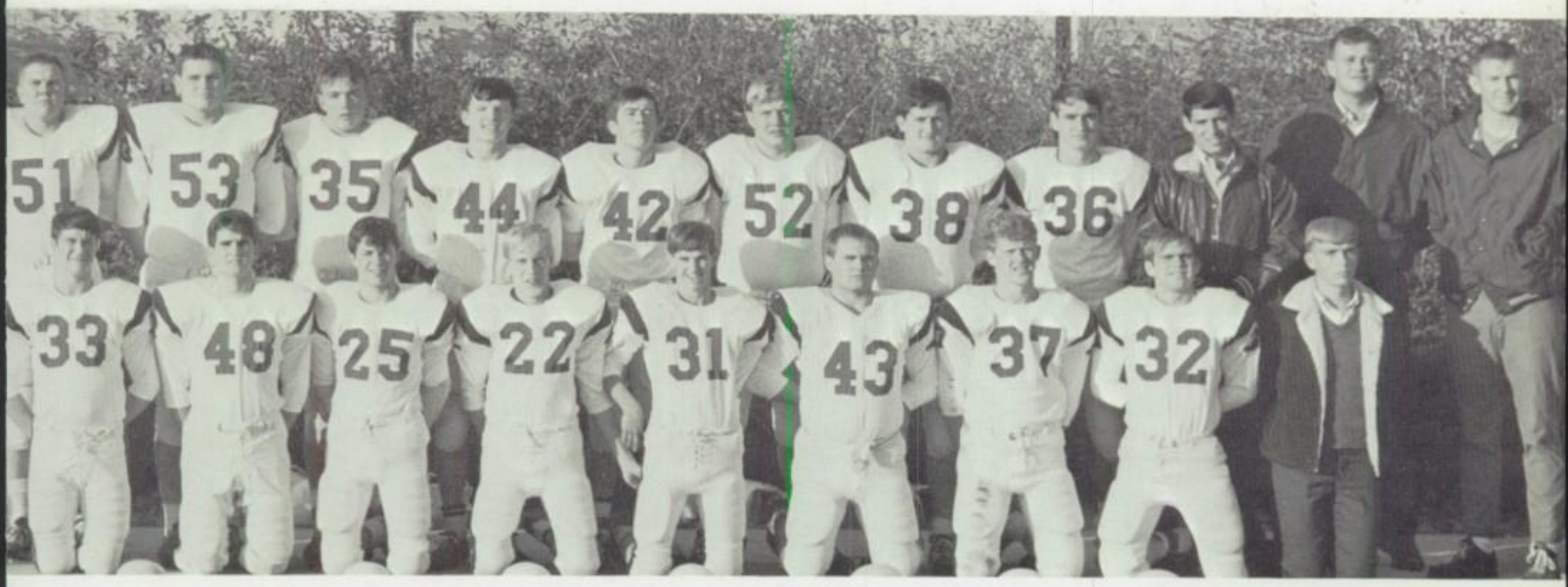


Defense puts Orangemen in their place.

**VARSITY COACH**
Dell Miller

VARSITY FOOTBALL RECORD

| Columbus | | Opponent |
|---|---|---|
| 0 | Lincoln High | 61 |
| 6 | Beatrice | 20 |
| 7 | Kearney | 7 |
| 6 | Grand Island | 35 |
| 13 | Hastings | 7 |
| 32 | Lincoln East | 7 |
| 7 | Fremont | 39 |
| 20 | Norfork | 14 |
| 12 | South Sioux City | 7 |




VARSITY — **BACK ROW:** T. Deyke, S. Augustine, D. Hirschbrunner, D. Hartsel, S. Riley, B. Braithwait, G. Nyffeler, T. Iossi, **STUDENT MANAGER,** I. Jacobs; **ASSISTANTS** Ron Beck; Dennis VanFossen. **FRONT ROW:** T. Trofholz, B. Gildea, J. Kamrath, C. Williams, K. Zimmer, Z. Wiseman, B. Jones, D. Bernt, **STUDENT MANAGER,** D. Morhman.

# .500 Season Record

The 1967 season was the first year Columbus has played all class A teams. This year's schedule proved to be one of the roughest yet as the Discoverers were beaten only by highly ranked teams around the state.

Columbus opened the season on a bad note succumbing to Lincoln High 61-0 followed by a 20-6 loss to Beatrice. In their next game the Discoverers tied Kearney 7-7 in a hard fought game.

Columbus opened conference play against Grand Island but was beaten 35-6. The Discoverers then downed Hastings by the score of 13-7 followed by a 32-7 homecoming victory over Lincoln East. Long time Discoverer rival Fremont, however, handed the Millermen a 39-7 setback which ended Columbus hopes of a berth in the Big Ten playoff. The Discoverers ended the season on a winning note, though, beating Norfolk 20-14 and South Sioux City 12-7.

Columbus finished with a 4-4-1 record by winning four of their last five games. Senior backs Dan Hartsel and Steve Riley were voted co-captains for the 1967 team. Hartzel also received the Bob Murray award.

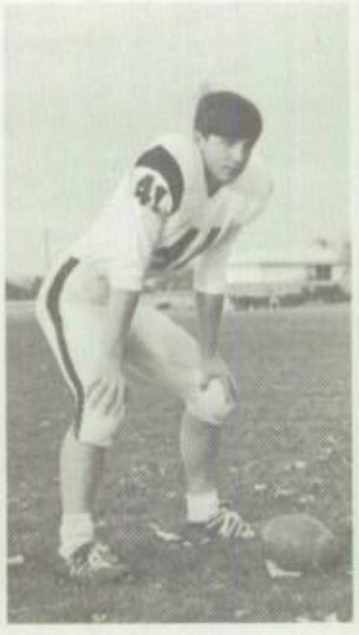
**ASSISTANT VARSITY COACH**
Ron Callan

**ASSISTANT VARSITY COACH**
Ron Beck

SAM AUGUSTINE
**Tackle**

DAVE BERNT
**End**

BRIAN BRAITHWAIT
**Tackle**



TIM BROCK
**Center**

MIKE FLOYD
**Quarterback**

# '67 Discoverer Squad Yielded

DAN HARTSEL
**Fullback**

TOM IOSSI
**Quarterback**

GENE NYFFELER
**Guard**

JOE POCWIERZ
**Guard**

STEVE RILEY
**Fullback**

DOUG RUDAT
**Tackle**

GARY SCHLESINGER
**End**

MIKE SCRIBNER
**Tackle**

CRAIG WILLIAMS
**Wingback**

ZANE WISEMAN
**End**

KEN ZIMMER
**Wingback**

BOB CHRISTIANSON
**Guard**

TOM DEYKE
**Tackle**

MIKE ERNST
**Fullback**

BILL GILDEA
**Center**

# Thirty Outstanding Lettermen

BILL GREENE
**Wingback**

DICK
HIRSCHBRUNNER
**Tackle**

DAVE HURT
**Wingback**

BOYD JONES
**Guard**

JIM KAMRATH
**Wingback**

KEVIN KENNEDY
**Tackle**

STEVE KLUTMAN
**Quarterback**

GARY SCHAEFER
**Guard**

TERRY TROFHOLZ
**End**

TERRY ROGERS
**End**

JUNIOR VARSITY — **BACK ROW:** Coach J. Johnson, D. Bullington, B. Christiansen, C. Hake, L. Larson, T. Rogers, B. Egger, M. Koch, D. Brouse, T. Trofholz, D. Hirschbrunner, D. Vollbracht, G. Cox, Coach D. Van Fossen. **MIDDLE ROW:** J. Jicha, K. Coover, L. Hake, J. Kamrath, S. Wertz, M. Johnson, G. Kluck, D. Athey, T. Schaefer, D. Osten, G. Modelski. **BOTTOM ROW:** R. Hasselbalch, R. Woerth, D. Bernt, R. Munson, M. Johnston, D. Hurt, B. Lusche, L. Johannes, S. Bullington. **NOT PICTURED:** T. Murphy, L. Luchtel, G. Kuhn.

# JV's Show Strong Promise

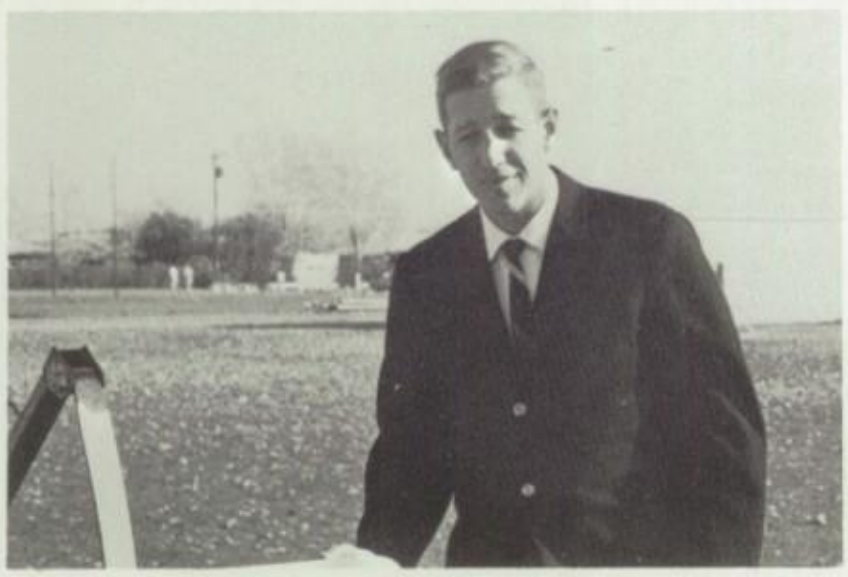
Coach Van Fossen led the Junior Varsity team to a 4-2 season. All-around team play and a strong determination accounted for the fine showing of the young Discoverers. Over the course of the campaign numerous players showed promising development for future varsity duty.

The yearlings hosted York for the first game of the season. The young Dukes proved to be tough opponents as the Columbus team had to rally in the last few minutes of the game to make the winning touchdown. The young Discoverers went on to Norfolk to hand the Panthers a 33-13 defeat.

Grand Island proved to be rough opposition but yeilded to the even rougher Discoverers. In the first Fremont game, the "fixed up" baby Tigers broke the nine game winning streak of coach Van Fossen with an upset score, Fremont 20, Columbus 8. The Black and Gold gave the Maroons another tough time by winning 25-12.

The last game of the season took place on home ground with the J.V.'s romping the young Panthers 52-21.

**JUNIOR VARSITY COACHES**
Dennis Van Fossen
Jack Johnson



JUNIOR VARSITY FOOTBALL RECORD

| Columbus | | Opponent |
|---|---|---|
| 12 | York | 7 |
| 33 | Norfolk | 13 |
| 13 | Grand Island | 0 |
| 8 | Fremont | 20 |
| 12 | Fremont | 25 |
| 52 | Norfolk | 21 |

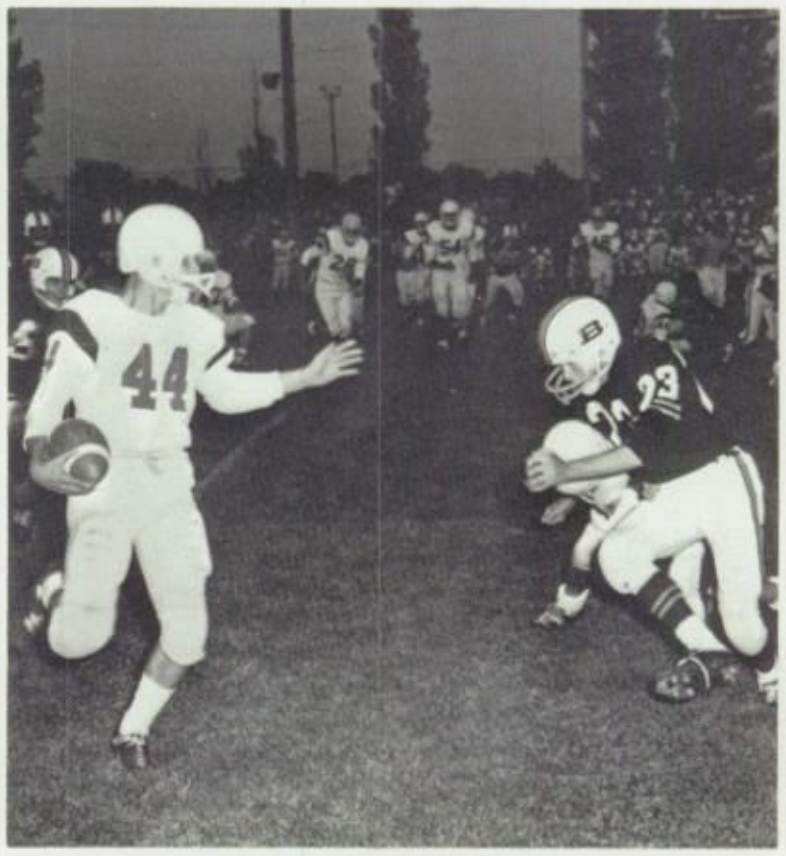
Desperate scramble for fumbled ball.

STUDENT MANAGERS—Ivan Jacobs, Doug Mohrman.

# for Future Varsity Duty

Alert CHS linemen threw ball carrier for a loss.

Hartsel broke through to gain valuable yardage.



VARSITY SQUAD — **BACK ROW:** Ralph Irwin, Scott Nelson, Lonnie Larsen, Frank Higgins, Tom Henke, Dave Kincaid, Bob Hopp, Greg Warner, Steve Klutman. **FRONT ROW:** Coach Jack Johnson, Doug Bullington, Rick Carr, Steve Anderson, Mike Floyd, John Staub, Stu Bullington, Assistant Coach Dennis Van Fossen.

# Varsity Repeated Outstanding Record

Under the coaching of Jack Johnson, the **DISCOVERERS** were top-seeded in the District Tournament and were rated ninth through most of the season. Columbus lost most of last year's championship line-up, but came up with a great team-effort from all the players this year. The '67 — '68 team was one of Columbus's most balanced teams with a well-rounded scoring attack. Seven seniors, two juniors, and three sophomores made up Coach Johnson's squad.

The **DISCOVERERS** opened the season with a pair of victories over York and Kearney but were then soundly defeated by Hastings. Columbus then reeled off victories over Millard, Grand Island, and Fremont before bowing to Hastings and Lincoln High. Coach Johnson's men then split a pair of games winning over Beatrice and losing to Fremont. After the Fremont game, the **DISCOVERERS** hit top form, winning their last six games.

The desire and hustle of Steve Anderson, Ralph Irwin, and John Staub sparked the highscoring **DISCOVERERS.** In the Grand Island game the two teams set a Big Ten single-game scoring record. Frank Higgins led this year's team in points and rebounds, finishing near the top in CHS scoring history. Bob Hopp was this year's most improved player.

VARSITY BASKETBALL RECORD

| Columbus | | Opponent |
|---|---|---|
| 73 | York | 54 |
| 69 | Kearney | 58 |
| 38 | Hastings | 77 |
| 76 | Millard | 62 |
| 90 | Grand Island | 85 |
| 72 | Fremont | 70 |
| 68 | Hastings | 86 |
| 58 | Lincoln High | 61 |
| 72 | Beatrice | 58 |
| 65 | Fremont | 66 |
| 73 | Norfolk | 62 |
| 73 | Lincoln East | 63 |
| 79 | Grand Island | 68 |
| 85 | Norfolk | 67 |
| 63 | Papillion | 58 |
| 81 | Omaha Benson | 87 |

**VARSITY COACH**
**Jack Johnson**

**STUDENT MANAGERS**
Rich Munson and Ivan Jacobs

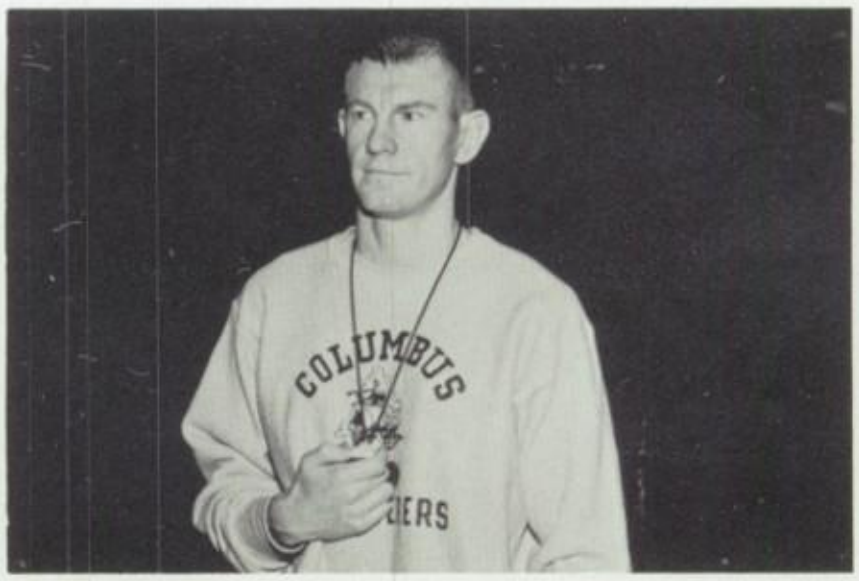
JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL RECORD

| Columbus | | Opponent |
|---|---|---|
| 59 | York | 41 |
| 58 | Kearney | 56 |
| 57 | Hastings | 66 |
| 59 | Millard | 65 |
| 48 | Grand Island | 50 |
| 59 | Fremont | 51 |
| 57 | Hastings | 54 |
| 46 | Lincoln High | 58 |
| 61 | Beatrice | 52 |
| 57 | Fremont | 54 |
| 72 | Norfolk | 56 |
| 74 | Lincoln East | 55 |
| 58 | Grand Island | 46 |
| 64 | Norfolk | 62 |
| 65 | Papillion | 58 |
| 73 | Omaha Benson | 76 |

# Jr. Varsity Proved Springboard to Varsity

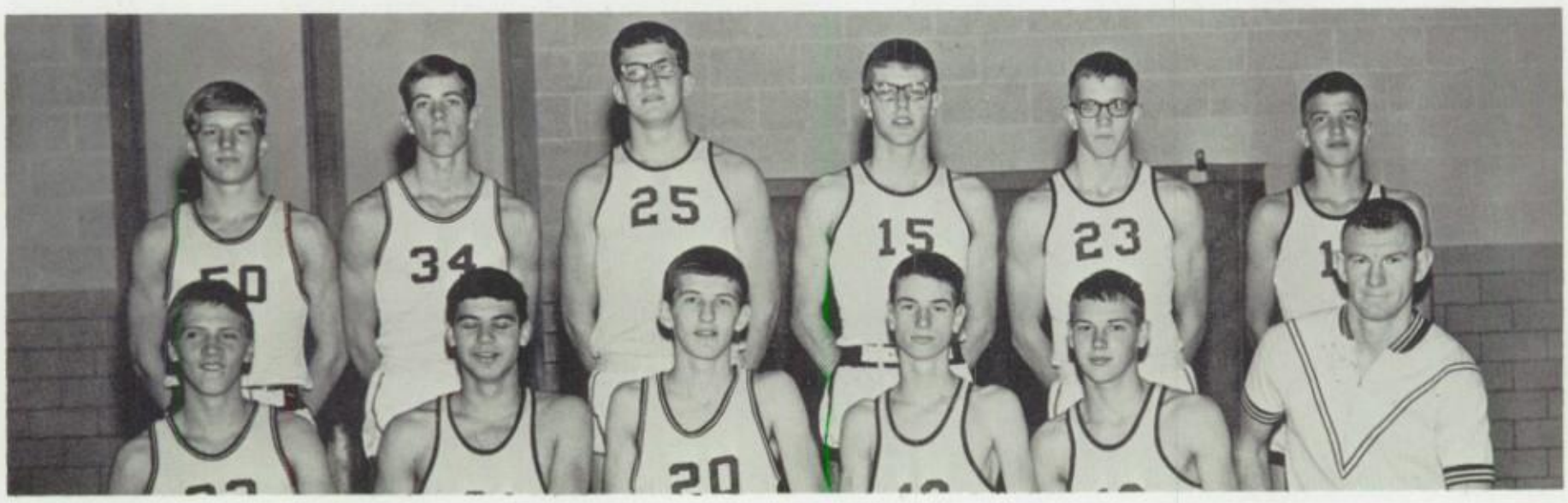
Under new Coach Dennis Van Fossen, the Junior Varsity completed a record of 10-6. The JV's opened the season with a pair of victories over York and Kearney before losing the next three games, falling to Hastings, Millard, and Grand Island. After these losses, the Junior Varsity won eight out of the next ten games, defeating Fremont by only three points in an overtime game.

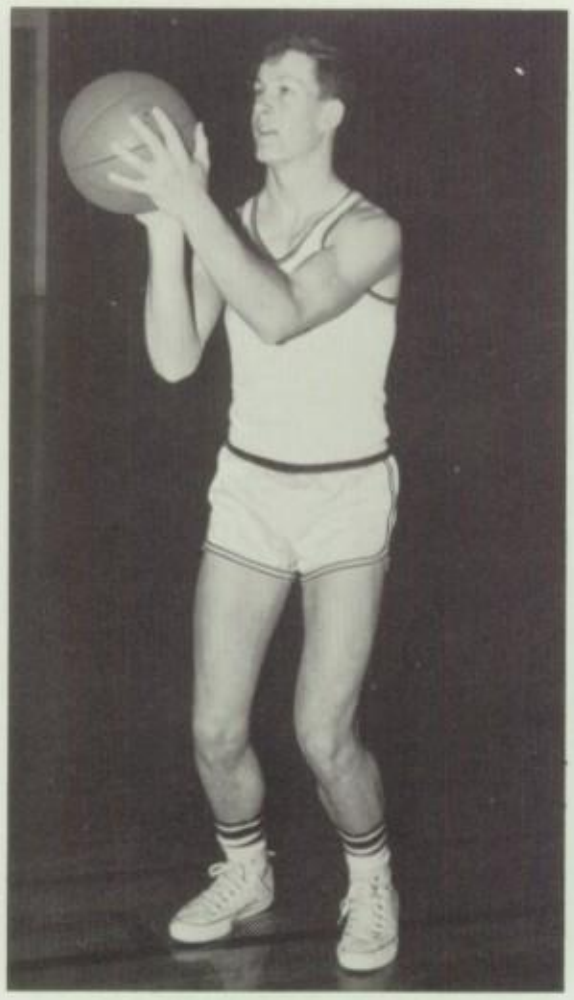
Throughout the season, the Junior Varsity showed tremendous desire and hustle. Many players displayed the talent needed for future varsity action. Sophomores showing outstanding performances included Scott Nelson, Dave Kincaid, and Stu Bullington who were advanced to varsity positions.



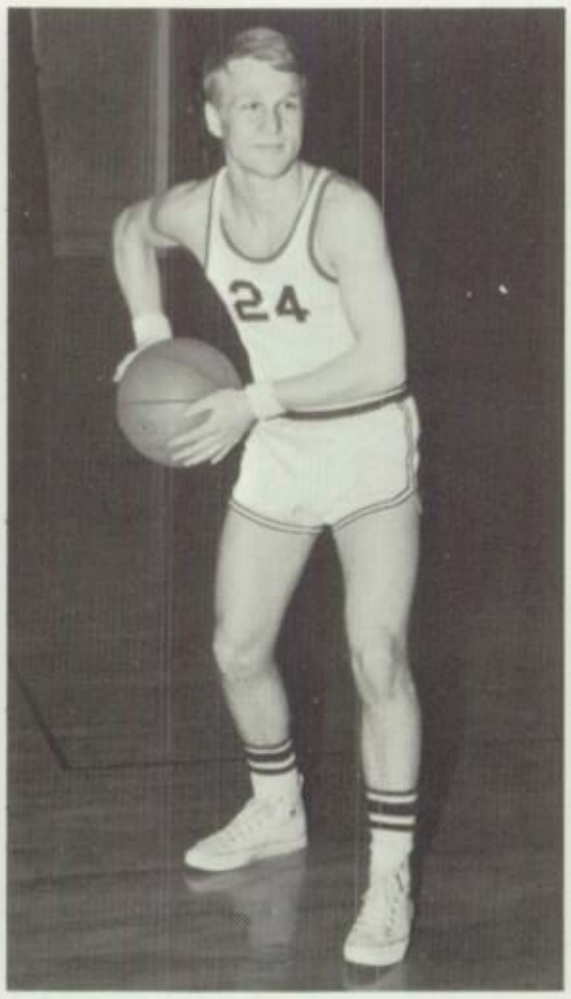

**JUNIOR VARSITY COACH**
Dennis Van Fossen

JUNIOR VARSITY SQUAD — **BACK ROW:** Terry Rogers, Dave Vander Ploeg, Dave Torzcon, Dan Bernt, Steve Eymann, John Palmblade. **FRONT ROW:** Roy Orr, Mike Jacobs, Mike Wozny, Doug Becker, Ronnie Walters, Coach Dennis Van Fossen.

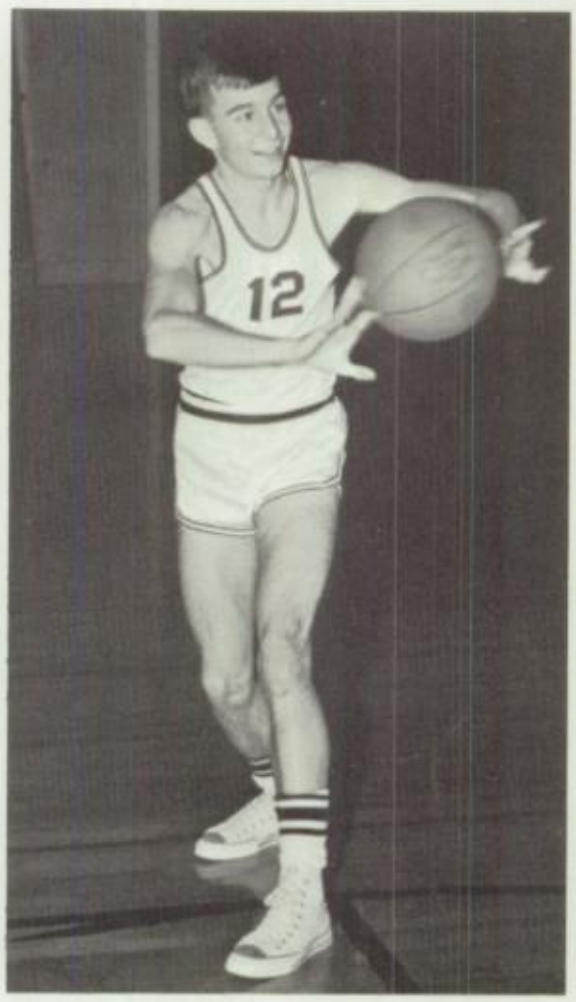




STEVE ANDERSON
**Guard**




JOHN STAUB
**Guard**

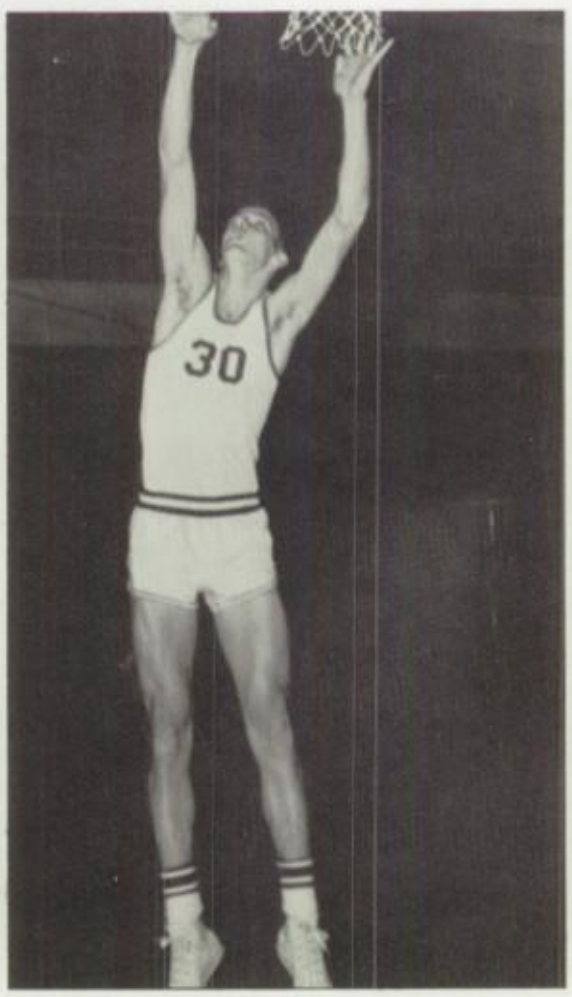



RICK CARR
**Guard**

# Nine Discoverers

MIKE FLOYD
**Forward**

FRANK HIGGINS
**Center**




TOM HENKE
**Center**

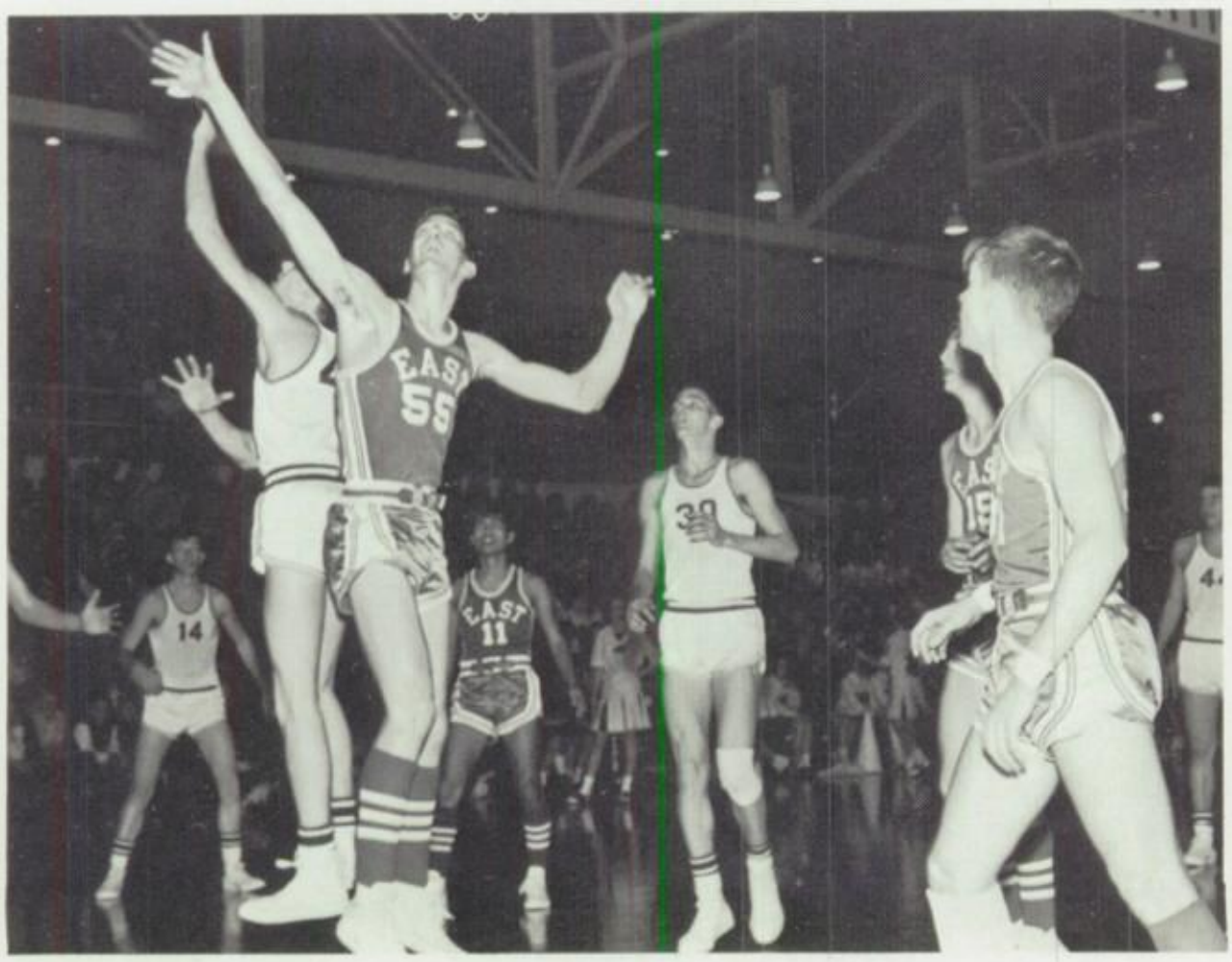
BOB HOPP
**Forward**

RALPH IRWIN
**Forward**

STEVE KLUTMAN
**Guard**

# Emerged As Lettermen

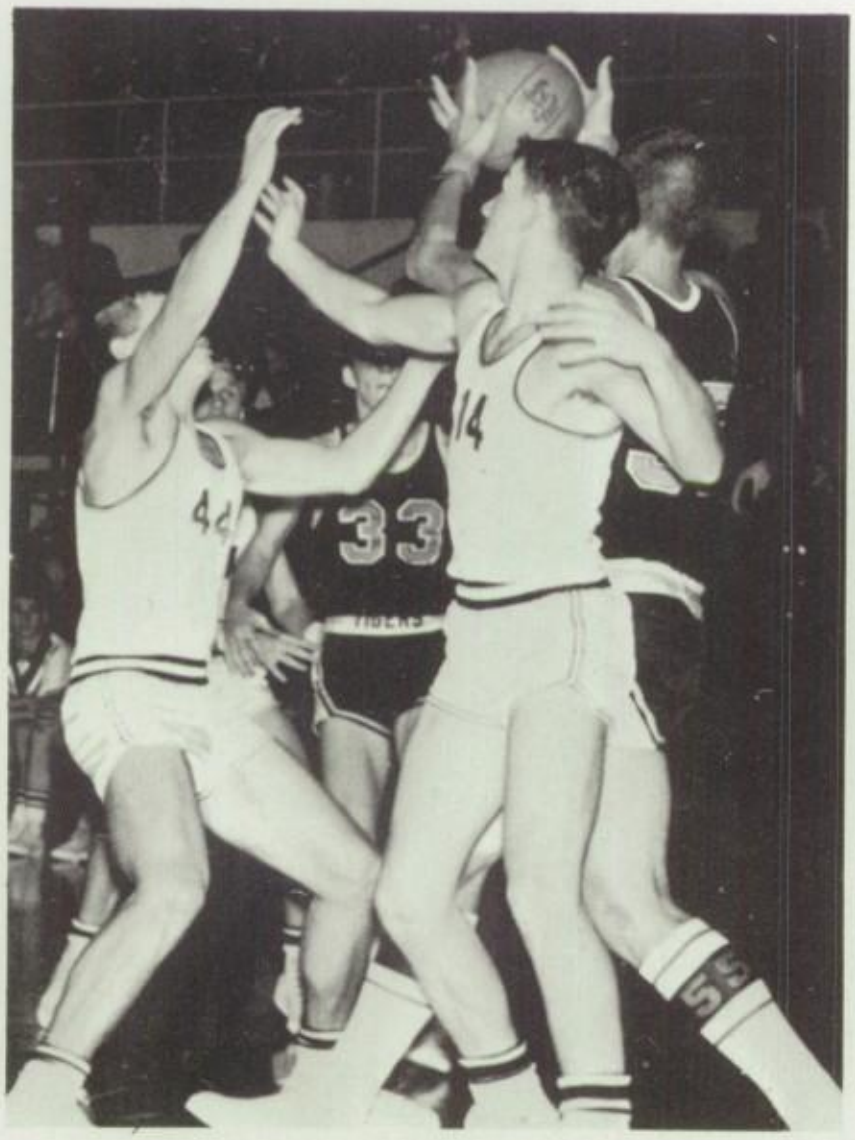
Bob Hopp edged in for rebound during Lincoln East game.



Get that rebound, **Discoverers.**

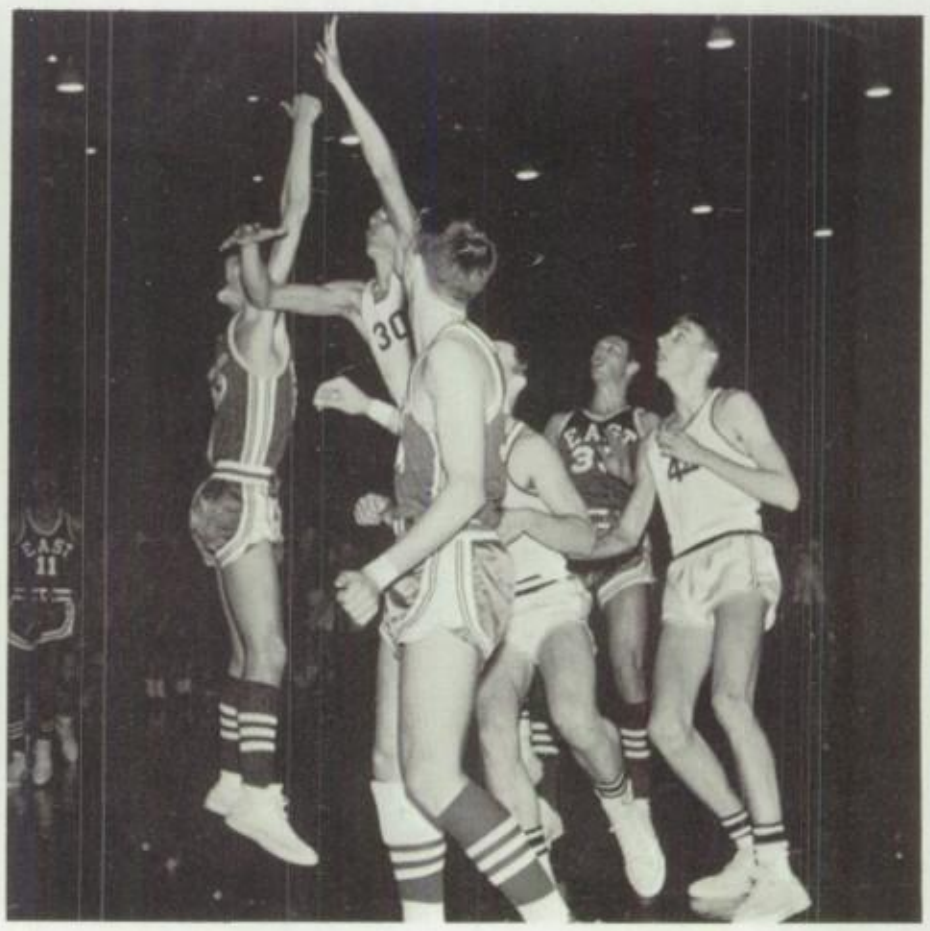
Higgins scores again with his favorite shot.

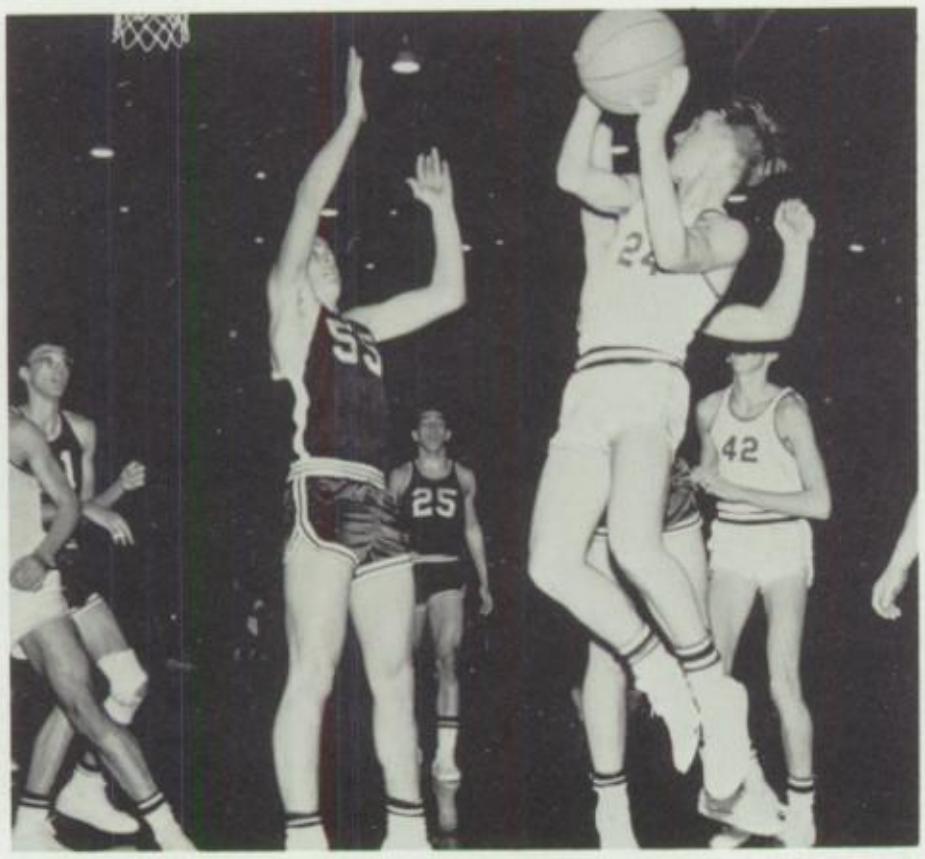
# Team Spirit, Ambition



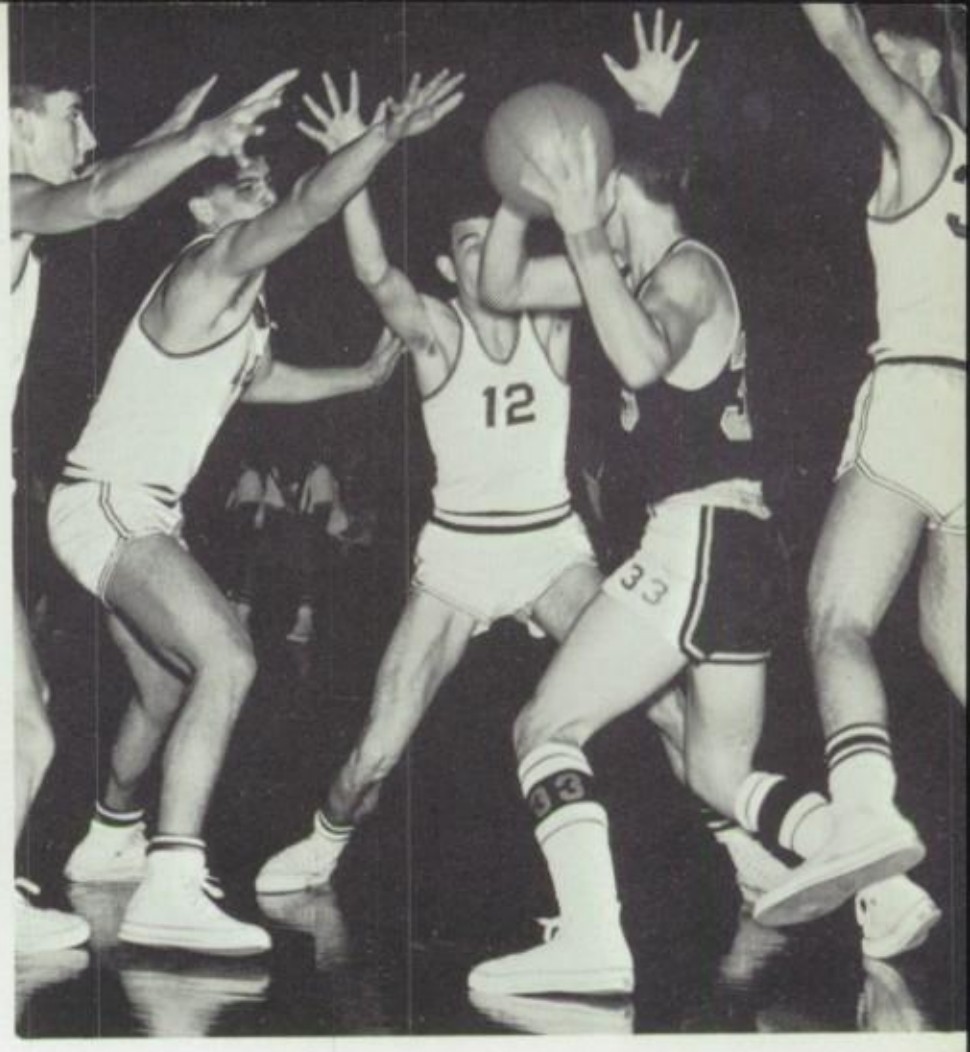

Defense is the key attack.

Higgins' height aided the **Discoverer's** recovery of a jump ball.





Staub was well guarded as he went up for scoring jump shot.



Hands up on the press.

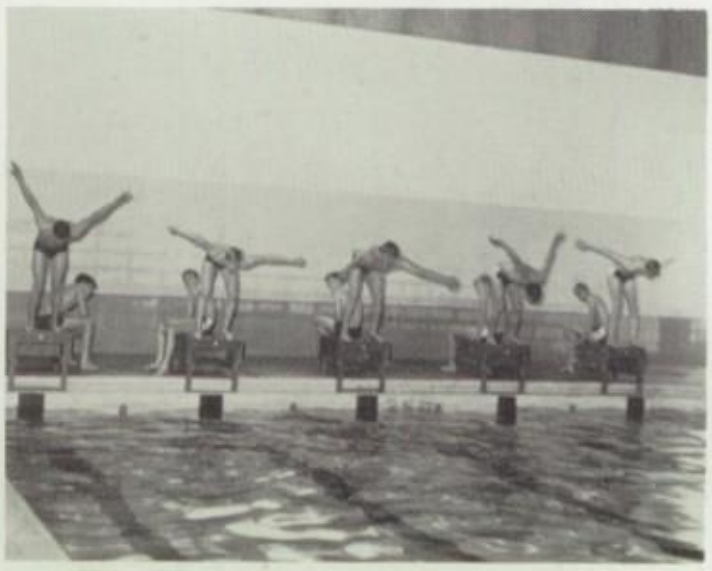
# Aided Discoverer Cagers

"Toad's" alertness enabled him to outsmart the **Orangemen** resulting in another basket.

Too many **Panthers** for Henke.

VARSITY SQUAD — **BACK ROW:** Zane Wiseman, Rick Frieze, George Johansen, John Eller, Brian Braithwait, Greg Drum, John Burns, Bill Wertz, Bill McNeely. **FRONT ROW:** Tom Murphy, Dave Want, Steve Burroughs, Joe McKown, Tim McDonald, Andy Danielski, Russ Tschauner, Bernie Johansen.

# CHS Swim Team Underwent



CHS swimmers prepared for Medley Relay.

Because of the loss of seven lettermen to graduation, the CHS swim team underwent a rebuilding season. It was also Coach Dave McNair's first year as swimming coach. Five returning swimmers added to several promising sophomores formed the nucleus of this year's team.

Team scoring was led by senior district swimmer Brian Braithwait. Bill Wertz placed well in the freestyle and relay events. George Johansen performed equally well in the backstroke. Diving proved to be one of the strong events as divers Keith Gottschall and Zane Wiseman had many fine performances.

Sophomore lettermen — Steve Burroughs, Bernie Johansen, and Dave Want — showed great potential during this season. These sophomores with other returning lettermen should produce some future winning teams for Coach McNair.

Tom Murphy and John Eller left blocks during a relay race.

Zane Wiseman showed excellent form on this dive.

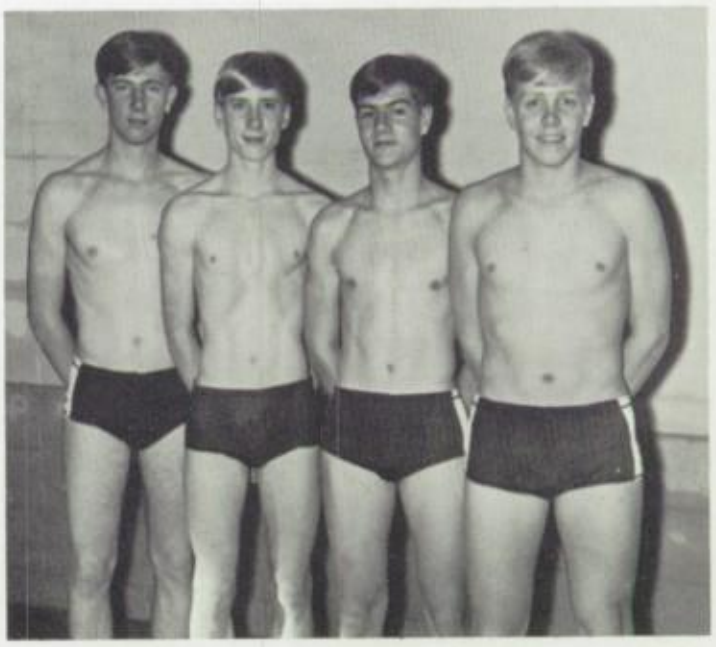
**SWIM COACH**
Dave McNair

George Johansen showed good form in the 100 yard Butterfly.

# Rebuilding Season

SWIM RECORD

| Columbus | | Opponent |
|---|---|---|
| 23 | Lincoln Northeast | 72 |
| 22 | Fremont | 73 |
| 34 | Lincoln Northeast | 61 |
| 29 | Grand Island | 66 |
| 18 | Lincoln East | 77 |
| 28 | Hastings | 67 |



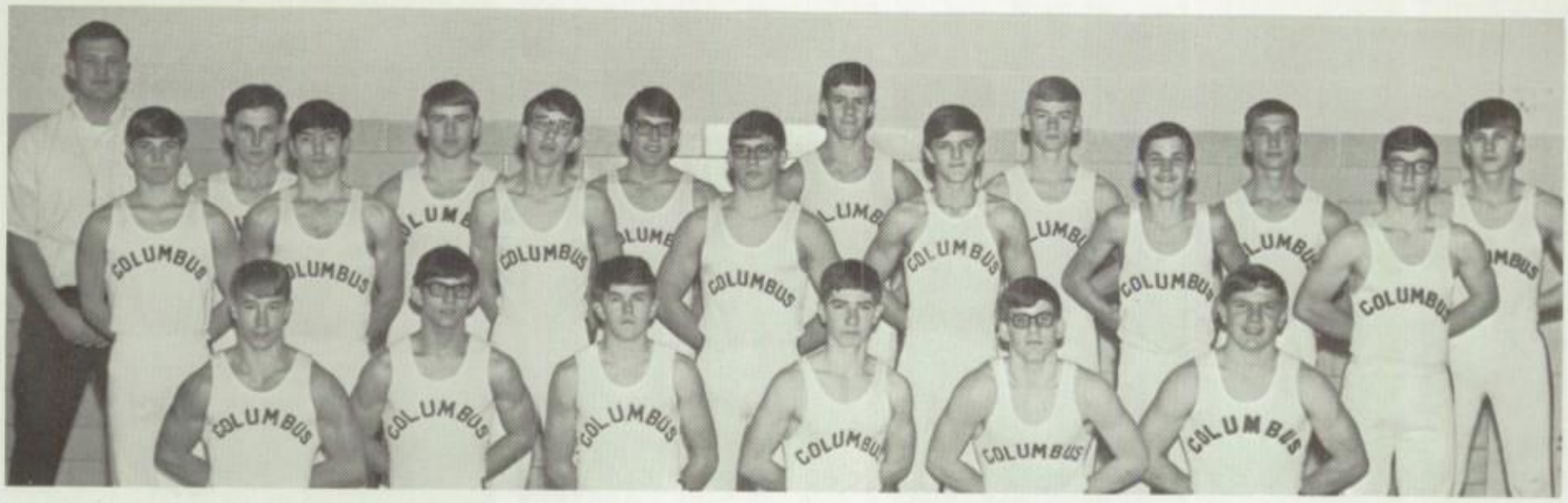
**MEDLEY RELAY TEAM** — John Eller, Dave Want, John Burns, Steve Burroughs.

Zane Wiseman

Brian Braithwait

Bill Wertz

George Johansen



GYMNASTICS SQUAD — **BACK ROW:** Coach Ron Beck, Elmer Phillips, Jeff Hoge, Randy Pichler, Jon Blocker, Larry Luchtel, Mike Brown, Bill Tredway. **MIDDLE ROW:** Rick Hladik, Joe Nelson, Steve Hoganson, Steve Dierberger, Dennis Hall, Mike Porter, Scott Smith. **FRONT ROW:** Barry Cook, Don Zulkoski, John Ballew, Jerome Sempek, Dave Athey, Layne Sander.

# Gymnastics Team Showed Great Potential

**COACH**
Ron Beck

Jeff Hoge scored well on the parallel bars, one of his many events.

Columbus High gymnastics team spent this year rebuilding after the loss of six seniors from last year's team. Coach Ron Beck's gymnasts worked hard building their strength and endurance for the year's competition. A total of twenty boys worked out this year producing a large, strong-willed team.

Leading scorers on the team were Jon Blocker, and Jeff Hoge who, with Don Zulkoski, were co-captains of the team. Also displaying outstanding performances for their events were senior John Ballew and juniors Layne Sander, Randy Pichler, Joe Nelson, and Elmer Phillips. Sophomores showing promise for next year and adding to this year's depth were S. Hoganson, B. Cook, L. Luchtel, M. Porter, M. Brown, S. Dierberger, D. Hall, B. Tredway, and R. Hladik.

During practice, Mike Porter rehearsed his routine on the trampoline.

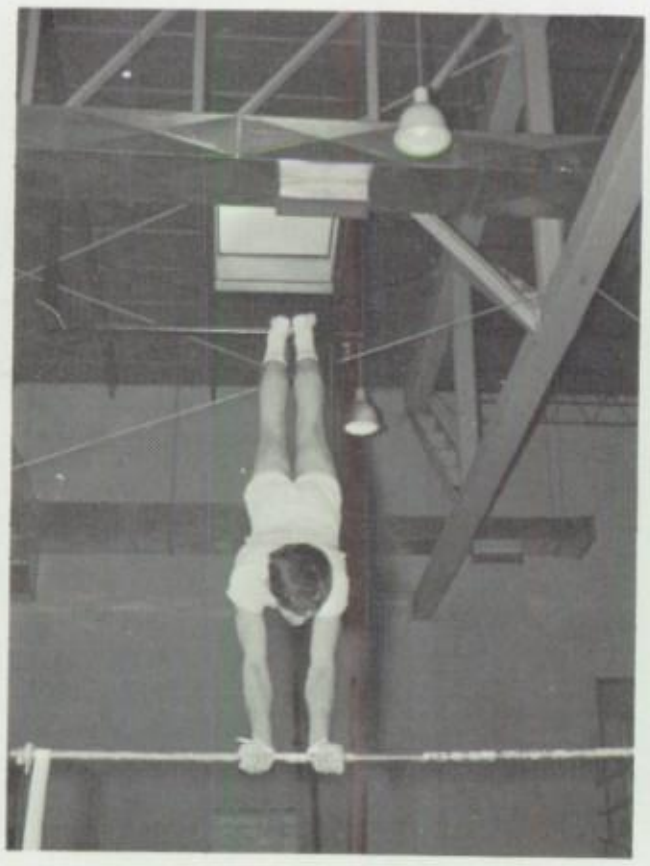
The sidehorse proved to be John Ballew's specialty.

Larry Luchtel displays the stamina needed for the sidehorse.

Shown practicing his routine is Scott Smith.

Perfect form is shown by Steve Dierberger on the parallel bars.

# Gymnasts Exhibited Agility and Endurance

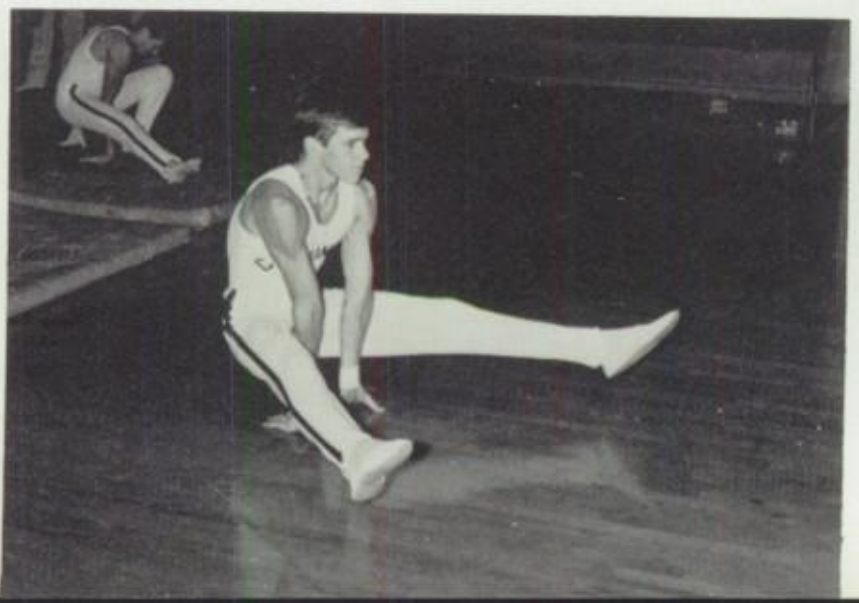


Don Zulkoski executes a giant on the high bar.

Working on the high bar is Dennis Hall.

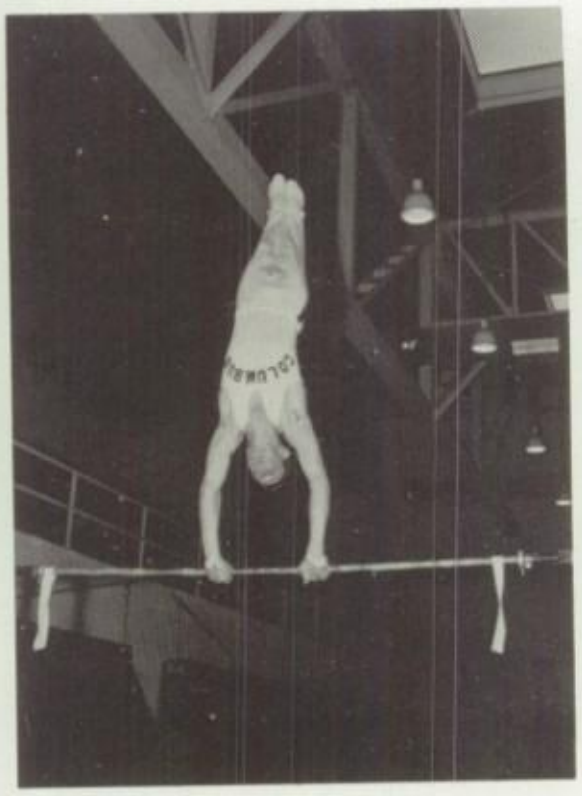
Bill Tredway soars high on the trampoline.

Superb body control is exhibited by Jon Blocker.



Dave Athey illustrates the basic stunts necessary on the sidehorse.

Mike Brown demonstrated the strength and skill needed on the rings.



Smooth performance netted points for Elmer Phillips on the high bar.

Randy Pichler demonstrated poise and coordination in this headstand on the rings.

# Hard Work Aided Discoverer Gymnasts

Barry Cook performed a difficult cross on the rings.

Perfect timing and agility were stressed in doing solo circles on the sidehorse by Jerome Sempek.

Rick Hladik showed a determined expression as he strived for perfection on the high bar.

Smooth style and impressive speed helped Joe Nelson win points on the side horse.

Keen balance and a strong will were shown in Layne Sander's handstand on the parallel bars.

# Eight Lettered on Varsity Wrestling Squad

VARSITY SQUAD — **BACK ROW:** Coach Richard Vestecka, Lester Hake, Jim Jicha, Bill Gildea, Doug Rudat, Gene Nyffeler, Coach Ron Callan. **FRONT ROW:** Steve Oppliger, Jim Santage, Randy Hall, Tom Schwank, Dave Speicher, Dave Hurt.

Jim Santage
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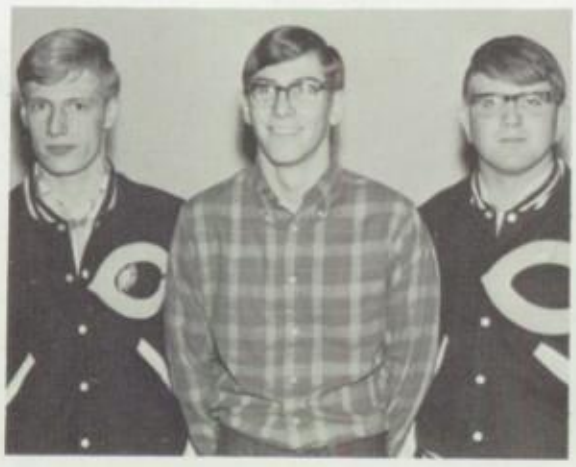


STUDENT MANAGERS: °Craig "Seymour" Williams, °Glen Cox, °Mike Scribner.

JUNIOR VARSITY — Coach Richard Vestecka, Mike Scribner, Steve Ferris, Dwight Duncan, Bill Lusche, Glen Cox.

° Lettermen

# CHS Wrestlers Compiled

*Steve Oppliger
95 lb.

*Jim Santage
103 lb.

Randy Hall
112 lb.

VARSITY COACH
Ron Callan

ASSISTANT COACH
Richard Vestecka

*Tom Schwank
120 lb.

Dave Hurt
127 lb.

*Dave Speicher
133 lb.

* Lettermen

# 6 Win, 5 Loss Record

Lester Hake
138 lb.

*Jim Jicha
145 lb.

Bill Gildea
154 lb.

RECORD

| Columbus | Opponent |
|---|---|
| 39 | Lincoln East . . . . 11 |
| 10 | Albion . . . . . 32 |
| 47 | Lincoln Pius X . . . 3 |
| 9 | Lincoln High . . . 35 |
| 34 | Fairbury . . . . . 15 |
| 28 | Grand Island . . . 15 |

RECORD

| Columbus | Opponent |
|---|---|
| 14 | Fremont . . . . . 34 |
| 22 | Beatrice . . . . . 21 |
| 30 | Hastings . . . . . 12 |
| 5 | Lincoln Southeast 40 |
| 9 | Kearney . . . . . 37 |

KSTC Invitational . . . . . 3rd Place
Millard Invitational . . . . . 6th Place
Big Ten Meet . . . . . 8th Place

*Doug Rudat
165 lb.

*Gene Nyffeler
180 lb.

*Chris Jacobson
Heavy Wt.

*Lettermen

RETURNING LETTERMEN — John Ballew, Bob Burns, Bob Hopp, Steve Anderson.

Coach David Stevens shows Dave Vander Ploeg how to treat one kind of emergency.

# Strength and Stamina Tested in Cross Country

VARSITY SQUAD — **BACK ROW:** Dave Vander Ploeg, Bob Hopp, Steve Anderson. **FRONT ROW:** Bob Burns, John Ballew, Doug Becker, Lee Stinson.

Autumn practices on hills northeast of Columbus and in the sandy Platte River helped to increase the strength and endurance of Coach Dave Steven's cross-country runners, helping them to compile a respectable record for the season. The returning lettermen along with the new lettermen, Doug Becker and Dave VanderPloeg, and individual boosts from Louis Lutjelusche and Lee Stinson produced a tremendous varsity team effort.

Sprinter Bob Hopp, with Doug Becker close behind, led the varsity in their wins. The team finished 6th at the Lincoln High Invitational, 7th at the Kearney Invitational, and 7th at Big Ten. At the District Meet, Columbus pushed for State but barely missed going as they finished 5th out of the 8 teams competing. Only Senior Bob Hopp, the top Columbus speedster, placed high enough for the State Meet with a 6th place at District; he finished 34th at the State Meet.

The varsity sprints out in the lead at the Norfolk-Columbus dual meet at the Country Club course.

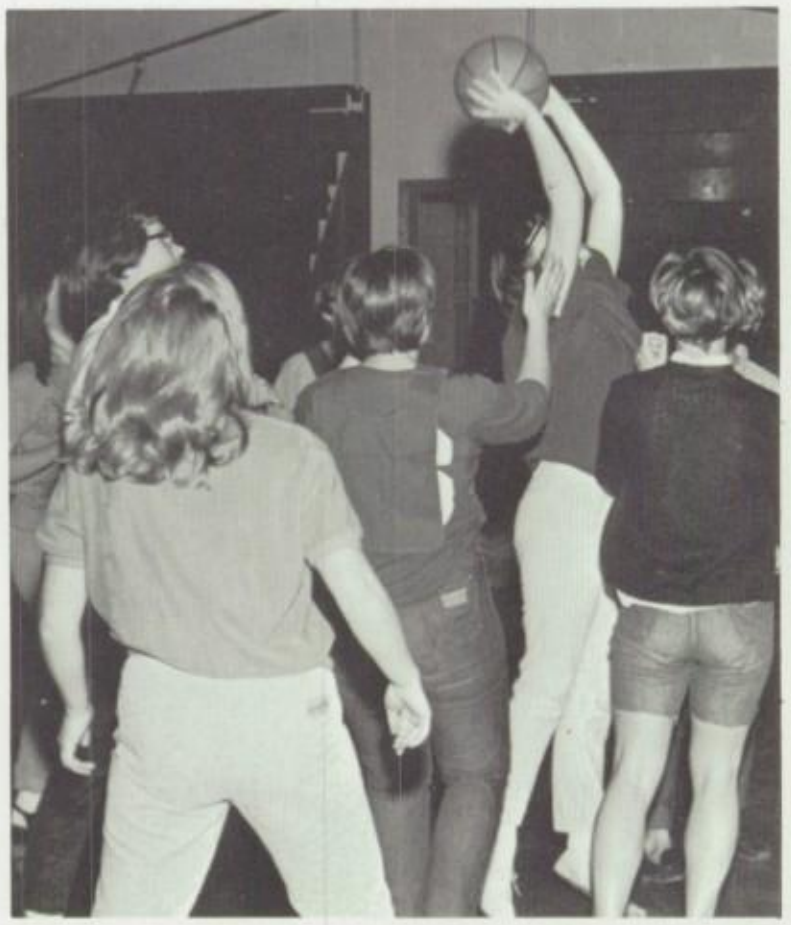
CROSS COUNTRY TEAM — **BACK ROW:** Bob Burns, Louis Lutjelusche, Dave Kincaid, Dave Vander Ploeg, Bob Hopp, Steve Anderson, David Stevens, Coach. **FRONT ROW:** John Burns, Lee Stinson, John Ballew, Doug Becker, Scott Jensen, Todd Schwank.

GAA OFFICERS — **BACK ROW:** Nancy Hefti, Jeanne Higgins, Jane Hoge, Class Representatives; Mrs. Dorothy Courtier, Adviser. **MIDDLE ROW:** Second Semester Officers — Deborah Wergin, Treasurer; Sharon Peppler, Secretary; Nancy Hegi, Vice-President; Dorothy Dostal, President. **FRONT ROW:** First Semester Officers — Sara MacFarland, Treasurer; Kris George, Secretary; Kaye George, Vice-President; Linda Nickolite, President.

# GAA Became Newest CHS Organization

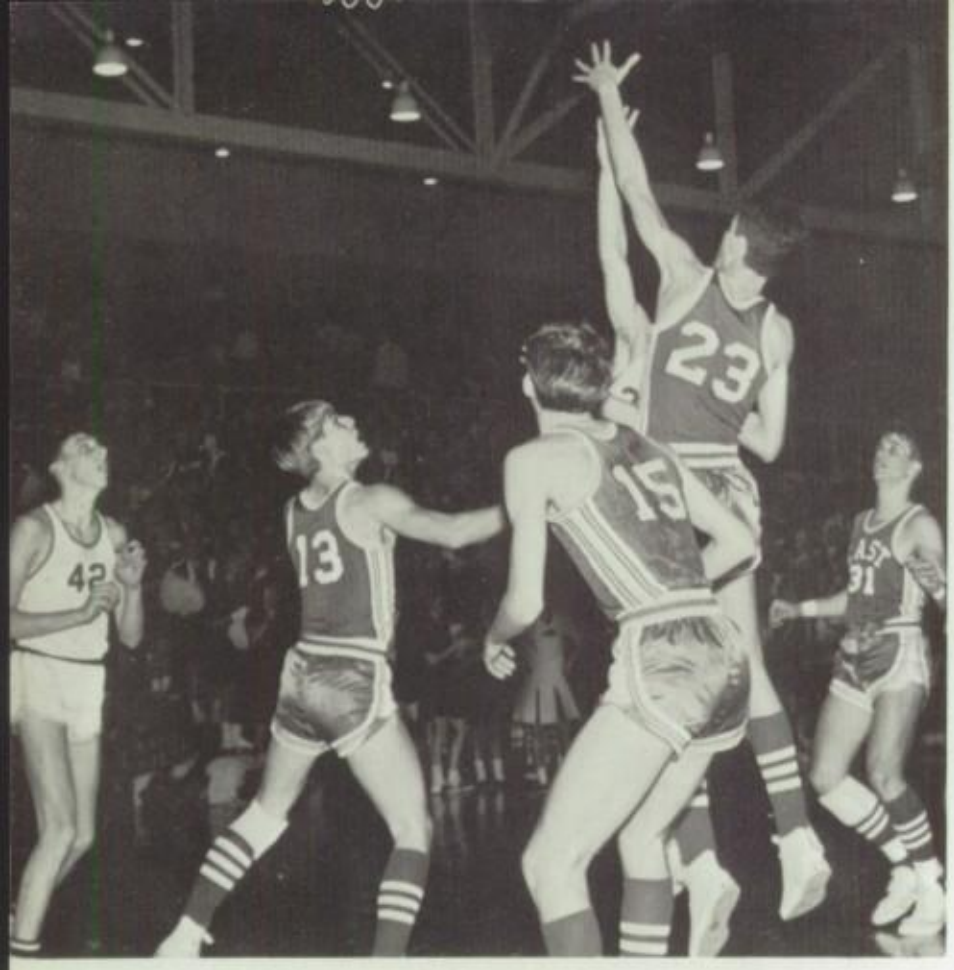
Girls' Athletic Association, a new organization to CHS, was formed to provide an opportunity for all CHS girls to participate in physical activity that would meet their needs and personal interests, to provide recreational and social activities, to stimulate and encourage participation in recreational activities other than at school, to develop new interests in activities for leisure hours, to develop standards of leadership and sportsmanship, to promote ideals of health, and to develop democratic principles of life.

Activities in which members participated were volleyball, basketball, bowling, and swimming. On January 9, the group attended a playday in Grand Island. The girls also enjoyed gymnastics and just "working out." They learned such mat skills as front and back flips, as well as the other basic gymnastic fundamentals.



Basketball was one of the major activities in which all GAA members participated.

One of the many activities GAA members took part in was formation of a pyramid.

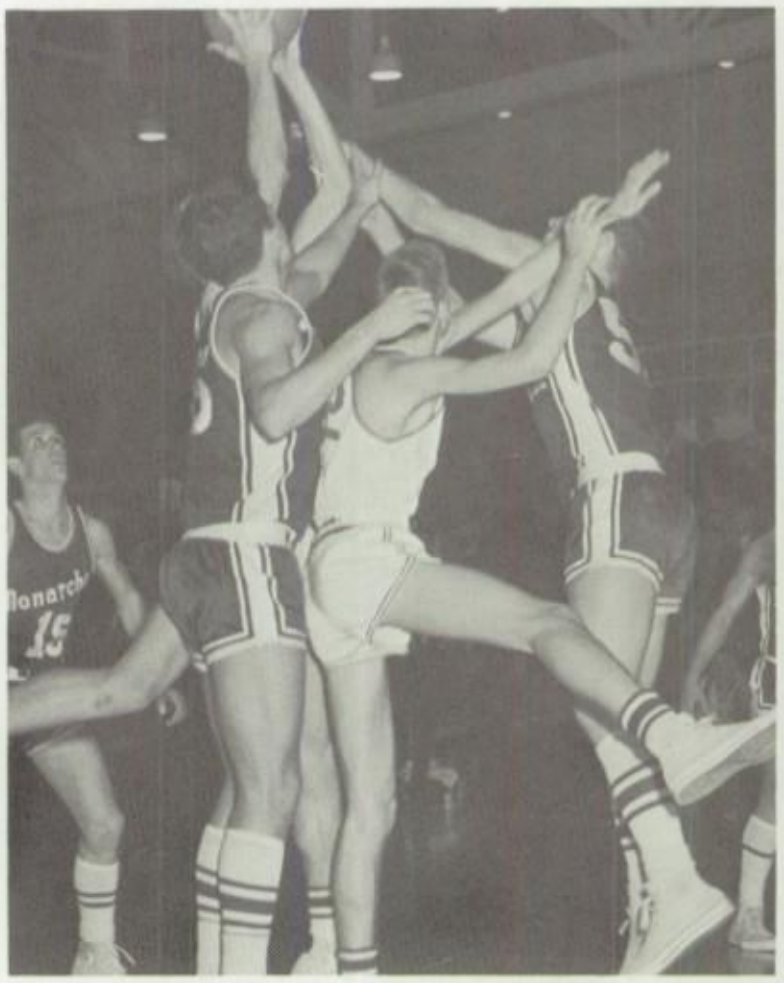


A hidden DISCOVERER hit for two before a host of Lincoln players closed in.

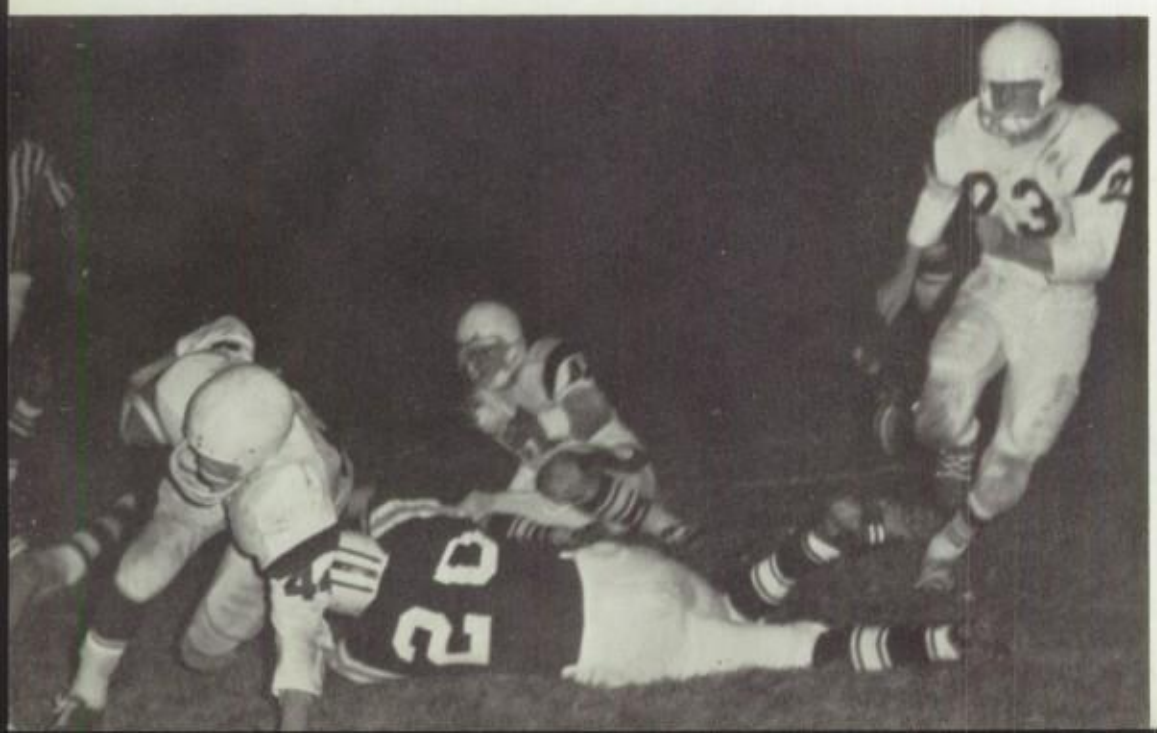
The relay team worked on their form during practice.

# Spirit Was Reflected in

Dan Hartzel was pulled down after a short gain against Beatrice.

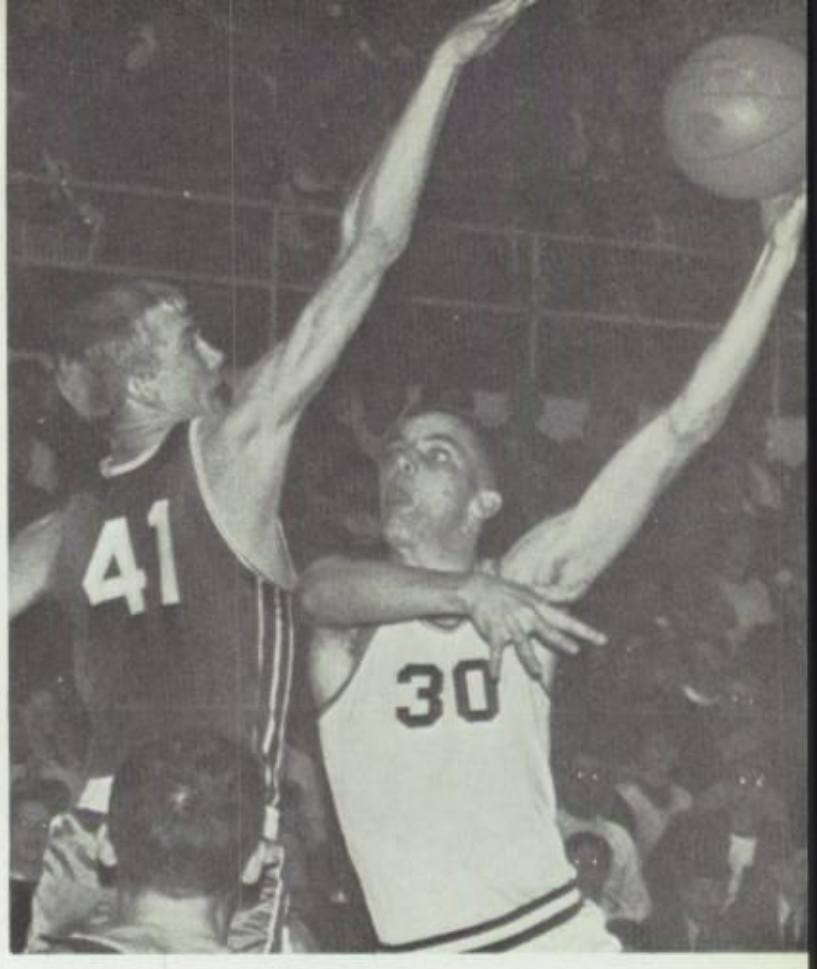


"Toad" fought for this rebound through a tangle of Monarchs.



Dan Hartzel regained his balance enroute to a touchdown.

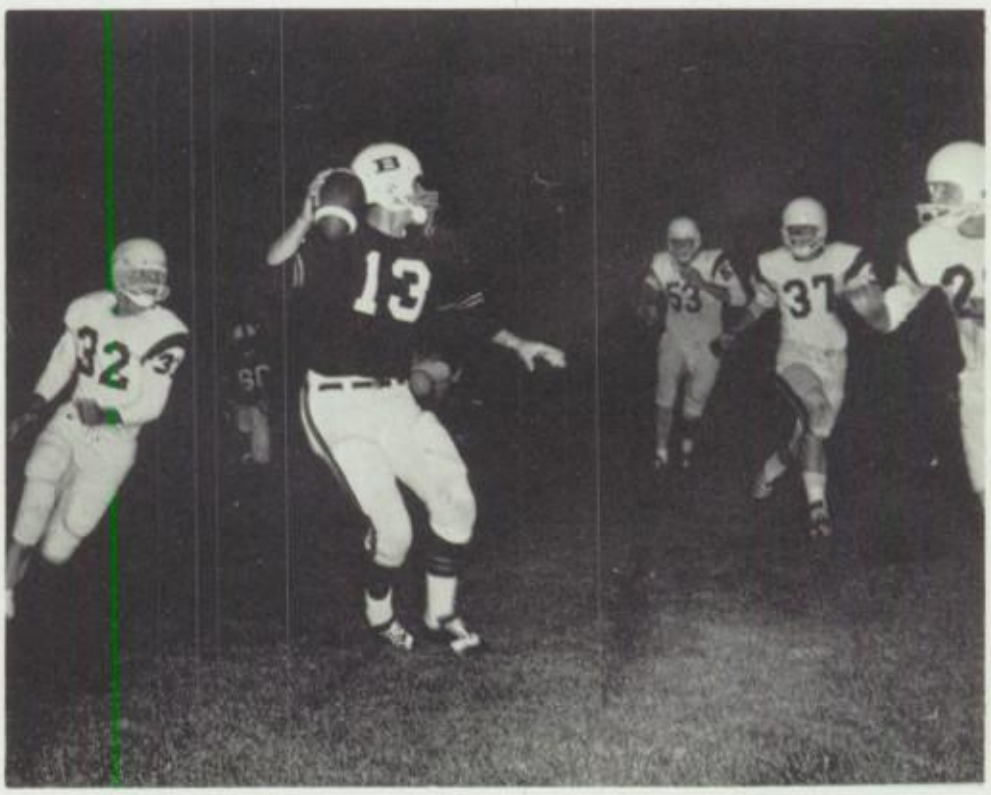
Tom Iossi and Dan Hartzel prevented a long gain.



Frank Higgins eyed the basket as he drives for a hook shot.

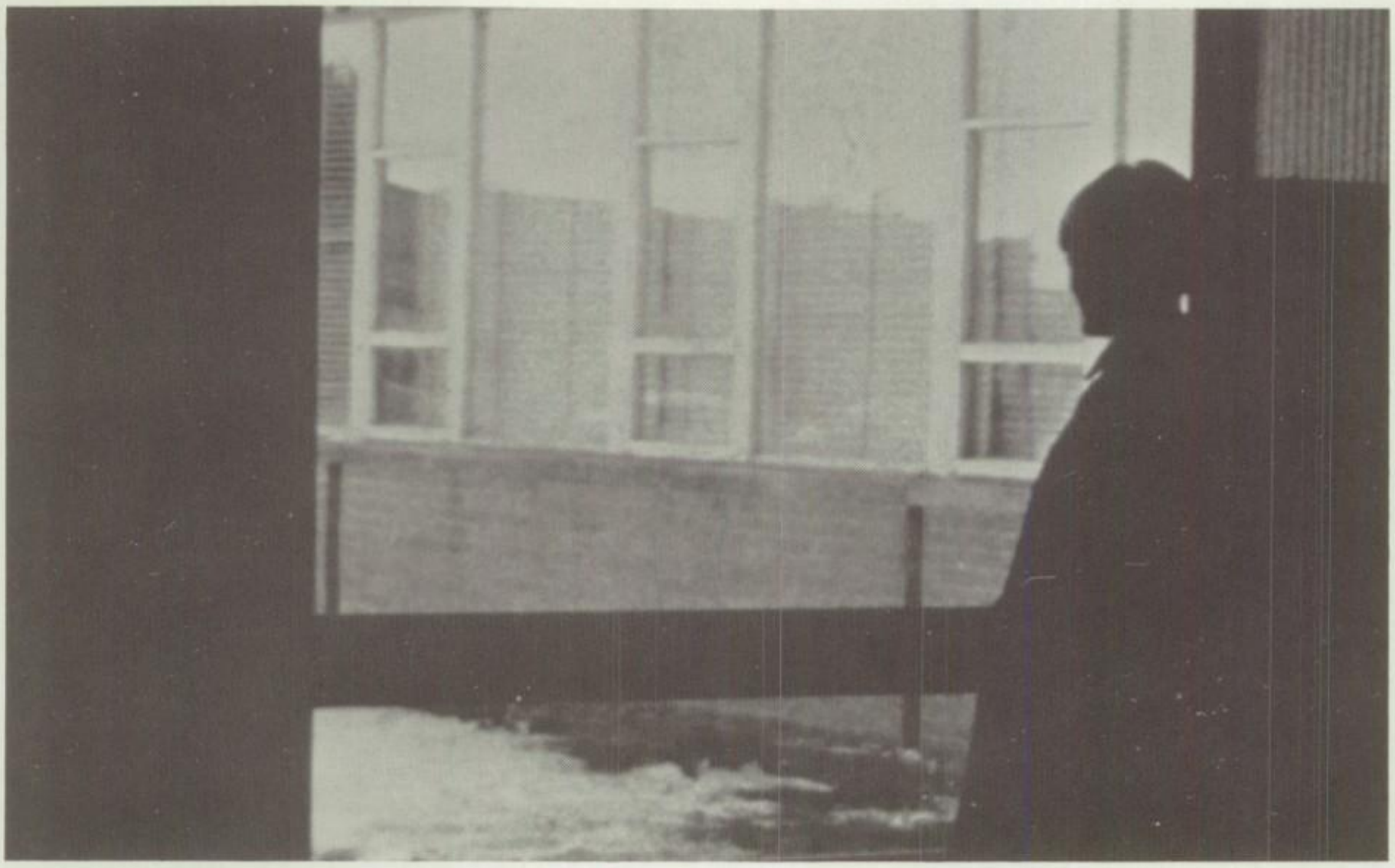
# Sports Activities

The charming smile and enthusiasm of Jody Johnson added vital spirit to basketball games.



Discoverers Dave Bernt and Terry Rogers closed in on the Beatrice Quarterback.

Gaily swirling grade school dancers added zest to halftime activities.



Where has another short year gone? The many memories still linger in the minds and hearts as the summer months approach with another year here for some and a new future for those finished.

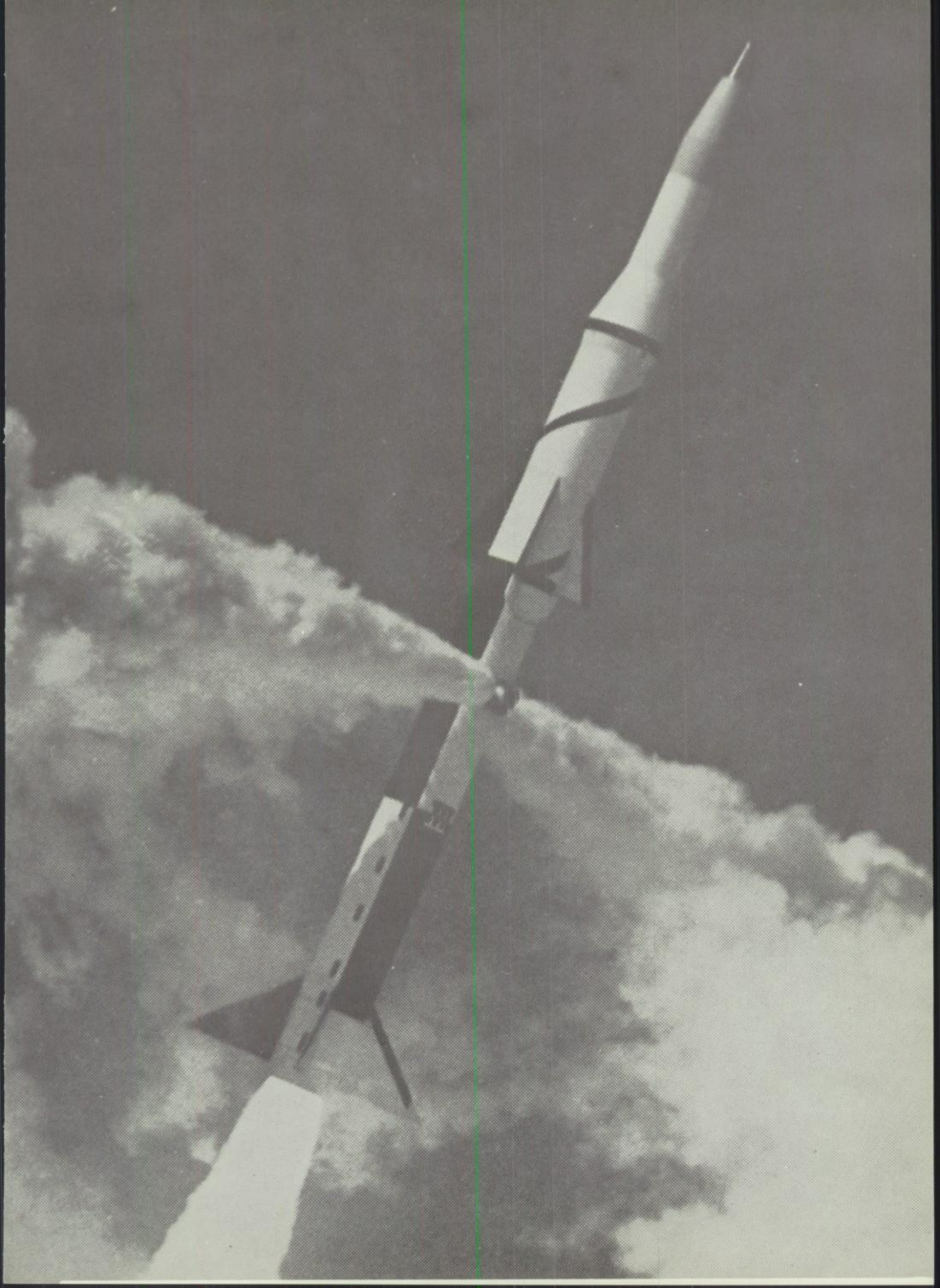
The leaves fall gently in the fall around a flurry of activity of planning for another year.

The gentle snow of winter comes all too soon as the year slips slowly into the past.

Now the thoughts of spring bring near and create the thrilling thoughts of graduation.

The future now, becomes all important.

— Richard H. Vestecka



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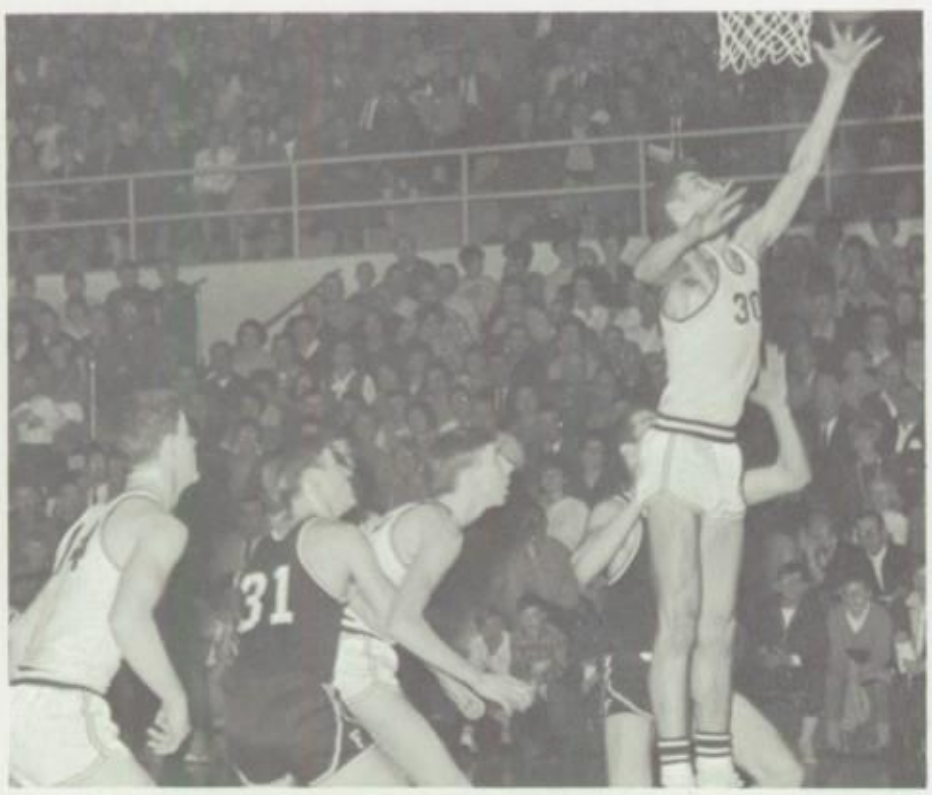
RANDY PICHLER
District Gymnastics Meet
**1st Place: High Bar**

JEFF HOGE
District Gymnastics Meet
**1st Place: Trampoline**
**4th Place: Parallel Bars**
**5th Place: Rings**

JON BLOCKER
Outstanding Gymnast
District Gymnastics Meet
**2nd Place: Trampoline**
**2nd Place: Tumbling**

DON ZULKOSKI
District Gymnastics Meet
**2nd Place: High Bar**

# Athletes Excelled in District Action



Discoverer Frank Higgins hit for two points during District finals.

FRANK HIGGINS
All Tournament Team —
State Tournament
East Big Ten Team
Honorable Mention —
All State Team

GLENN PHILLIPS
District Gymnastics Meet
**5th Place: High Bar**

JIM JICHA
District Wrestling Meet
**2nd Place**

DOUG RUDAT
District Wrestling Meet
**3rd Place**

GENE NYFFELER
District Wrestling Meet
**3rd Place**

VARSITY — **BACK ROW:** Coach Ron Callan, Jim Jicha, Dale Peterson, Dwight Duncan, Dick Gersib, Bob Hopp, Larry Nyffeler, Dave Torczon, Kent Apthorpe, Tom Deyke, Scott Nelson, Kevin Kennedy, Terry Trofholz, Coach Dell Miller. **FRONT ROW:** Student Manager Tom Murphy, Terry Rogers, Tom Wilson, Paul Woerth, Les Hake, Chuch Iwan, Doug Becker, Craig Williams, Rick Carr, Dave Kilmer, Mike Floyd, Bill Greene, Jim Caffrey.

**COACH**
Dell Miller

# Seven C.H.S. Tracksters

Rick Carr, fourth in the State Meet, won six first places this year in the broad jump.

Underclassman Deyke worked for improvement on the shotput.

**ASSISTANT COACHES**

Ron Callan — Ron Beck

Two-miler Hopp — running — running — running.

# Placed in District Meet

Seven CHS tracksters placed in the District Meet, enabling them to qualify for the State Meet in Kearney. Overall team effort and enthusiasm proved to be a factor in the fine showing they consistently turned in. Led by seniors Mike Floyd and Rick Carr, Columbus placed ninth in the State Class A Track Meet.

Although Coach Miller had no exceptionally outstanding athletes, several of the thinclads turned in fine performances. Mike Floyd, a high scorer on this year's squad, specialized in the 440 and 880. Rick Carr, another excellent performer, won six first places in the broad jump. Underclassmen showing future talent included Bill Greene, Terry Trofholz, Steve Hall, Tom Deyke, Dave Torczon, and Doug Becker.

Among those participating in the State Meet were Mike Floyd in the mile relay, 440, and 880; Rick Carr in the broad jump; Larry Nyffeler in the mile relay; Bill Greene in the 100 and the mile relay; Terry Trofholz in the 120 high hurdles; Steve Hall in the pole vault; and Doug Becker in the mile. Mike Floyd's time annexed the Class A 880, and Rick Carr took fourth in the broad jump.

The Discoverers' mile relay unit of Trofholz, Greene, Nyffeler, and Floyd broke the CHS record set in 1964, thus accounting for the only record change this season.

TRACK SCHEDULE

| | |
|---|---|
| Columbus-Fremont Dual | 2nd |
| Midland Relays | 3rd |
| Columbus-Norfolk-Fremont Triangular | 2nd |
| Norfolk Invitational | 2nd |
| Big Ten Meet | 7th |
| Kearney Invitational | 5th |
| District Meet | 4th |
| State Meet | 9th |

Dave Torczon said, "Get ready, Get set, — Throw," as he tossed the discus.

VARSITY — **BACK ROW:** Keith Engelmann, Bill Gildea, Rick Herr, Tom Rich, Randy Smith. **FRONT ROW:** John Gerhold, Steve Hoganson, Scott Jensen, Roy Orr.

**COACH**
Jack Johnson

# Linksmen Set School Record

Junior lettermen Bill Gildea, Keith Engelmann, and Scott Jensen led the Discoverer golf team to one of its finest seasons. Sophomores Steve Hoganson and Randy Smith gave the added depth necessary for a good season.

A school record fell as the golfers finished second in the Big Ten Meet. Columbus finished behind champion McCook by one stroke with a total of 236.

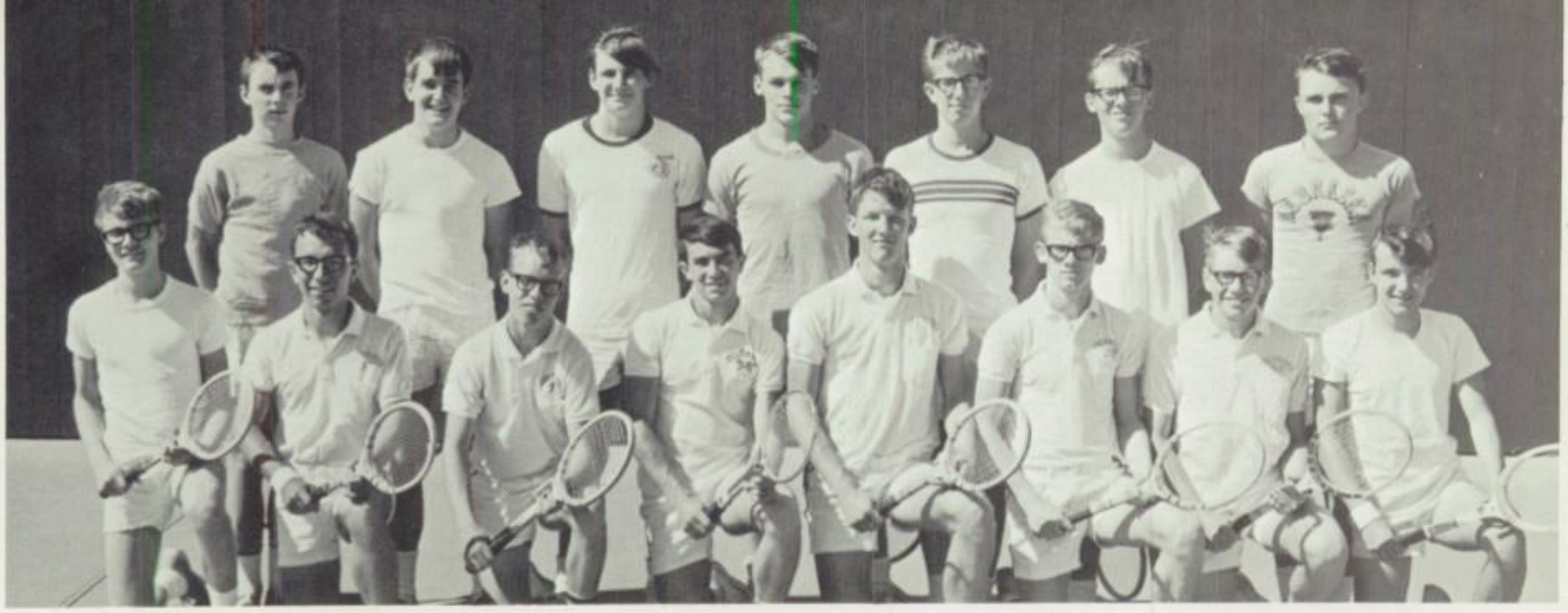
The low round of the season went to Bill Gildea who shot a 75 in the Big Ten Meet. Keith Engelmann's best was 76 against Norfolk. Lettermen on this year's squad included Bill Gildea, Keith Engelmann, Scott Jensen, Steve Hoganson, Randy Smith, and Larry Van Ackeran. All the top golfers will be returning next year.

GOLF SCHEDULE

| | |
|---|---|
| Columbus, Lincoln East, Lincoln Pius Triangular | 2nd |
| Columbus-Lincoln East Dual | 1st |
| Columbus-Schuyler Dual | 1st |
| Columbus-Fremont Dual | tied |
| Columbus-Norfolk Dual | 2nd |
| Big Ten Meet | 2nd |
| District Meet | 4th |

LETTERMEN — Randy Smith, Scott Jensen, Bill Gildea, Steve Hoganson, Keith Engelmann.

Bill Gildea worked hard on improving his drives.



VARSITY — **BACK ROW:** Doug McGee, Jerry Clausen, Bob Tredway, Bob Christiansen, John Eller, Kyle Davy, Mark Johnson. **FRONT ROW:** Ken Moersen, Lee Stinson, Brian Nelson, Doug Bullington, Dave Kincaid, Larry Luchtel, Brad Berlin, John Labenz.

# Tennis Team Finished Fourth in State

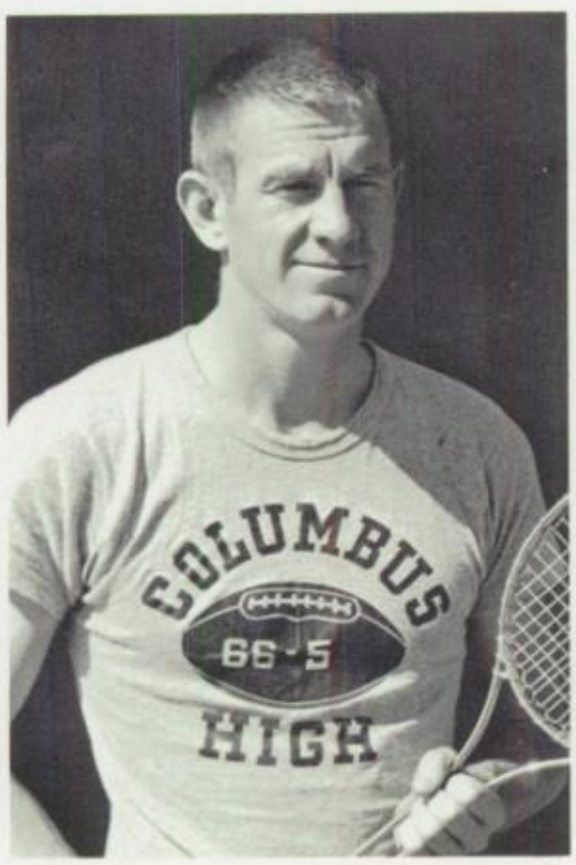
TENNIS SCHEDULE

| Columbus | | Opponent |
|---|---|---|
| 3 | York | 4 |
| 3 | York | 4 |
| 3 | Brownell-Talbot | 4 |
| 2 | Fremont | 7 |
| 7 | Grand Island | 4 |
| 3 | Brownell-Talbot | 2 |
| 9 | Norfolk | 0 |
| 2 | Fremont | 7 |
| 8 | Norfolk | 1 |
| 5th | Big Ten | |
| 4th | State | |

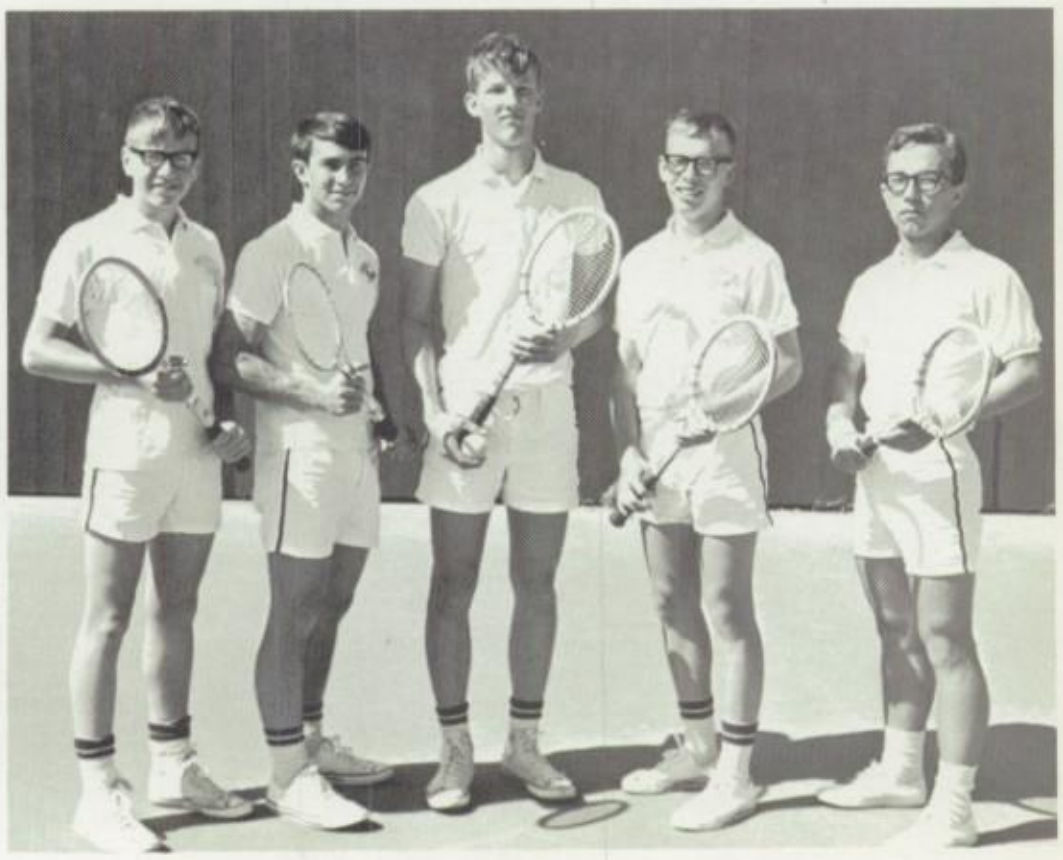
This season, because of the loss of four lettermen, the CHS tennis team lost its state championship title. Lee Stinson and Doug Bullington backed by Brian Nelson and Dave Kincaid led the team to a highly respectable fourth-place finish in the state contest. Senior, Stinson, also finished third in singles competition to lead the scoring.

The Discoverer netters attained a dual record of four wins and five losses against rough opposition. Coach Dennis Van Fossen's team upset previously undefeated Brownell-Talbot to highlight the regular season play. Lettermen on this year's squad included senior Lee Stinson, junior Doug Bullington, and sophomores Dave Kincaid, Brad Berlin, and Brian Nelson.

COACH
Dennis Van Fossen




LETTERMEN — Brad Berlin, Doug Bullington, Dave Kincaid, Brian Nelson, Lee Stinson. Bullington, Kincaid, Nelson, and Stinson participated in the Big Ten, District, and State Meets.



Steve Hall eyed the bar before vaulting.

Scott Jensen kept his head down as he practiced chipping.

# Spring Sports Were Great

Mike Floyd sprinted to first place in the State Meet. Floyd also won the K-TTT All Sports Scholarship.

Lee Stinson displayed excellent backhand form.

Pop! went the balloon, and shaving cream splattered at the Thespian "Shave-A-Balloon" Booth.

Twirp gangsters and officers mobbed Jeanne Lemke after being named the "loudest mouth" of the junior class.

# TWIRP: The Woman is Requested to Pay.

A variety of carnival booths amused Twirp couples.

"Don't smart off to me or I'll kick you with my cleats!"

Twirp King, Bob Hopp, tried out a tricycle for size.

The commons is only ?????? wiener lengths long, as measured by Twirp offenders.

STARLITES — Sue McCarthy, Nancy Siems, Paula Rowe, Ann Loomis, Kathy Krumland, and Sue Wurdeman as they performed for the World Wide Wicket television show.

CAST OF CHARACTERS

| | |
|---|---|
| J. Pierrepont Finch | Steve Patrick |
| Gatch | Jim Jicha |
| Jenkins | Doug Eggli |
| Tackaberry | Steve Herfkens |
| Peterson | Murry Johnston |
| J. B. Biggley | Fred Behlen |
| Rosemary | Bonnie Mihulka |
| Bratt | Mike Morkert |
| Smitty — Saturday and Tuesday | Sharman Joseph |
| Monday and Tuesday | Carol Falk |
| Frump | Brian Granquist |
| Miss Jones | Lynda Kodad |
| Mr. Twimble | Alan Joy |
| Hedy | Kaye George |
| Miss Krumholtz | Chris Thorpe |
| Toynbee | Don Kiser |
| Ovington | Larry Luchtel |
| Policeman | Dave Vollbracht |
| Womper | Doug Bullington |
| Scrubwomen | Chris Vlasak and Pat Potter |
| T.V. Cameramen | Steve Klutman |
| Waiter | John Jacobsen |
| Book Voice | Mike Ausman |

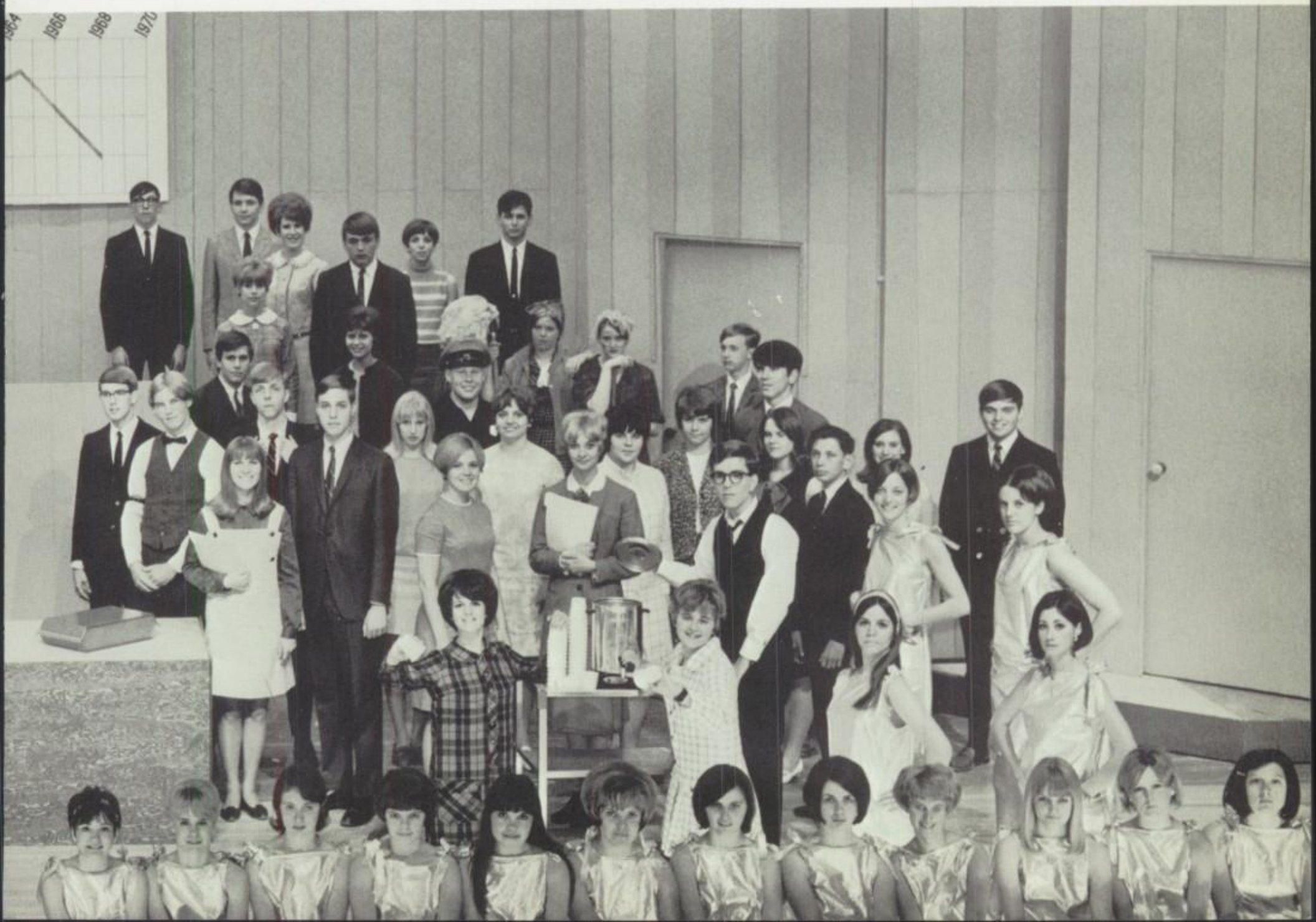
# "How to Succeed"

Miss Jones related to the "Brotherhood of Man."

Working backstage to help make HOW TO SUCCEED a success were the stage crew headed by Fred Behlen and assisted by Brad Berlin, Ken Davy, Kyle Davy, Brian Nelson, Emerson Semple, Tom Rich, and Joe Zwiener, and the make-up committee headed by Mary Olson and assisted by Risa Fleischer, Yennie Gembol, and Mary Ernst.

Twimble pondered Finch for position, and Frump called "MaMa."

# Proved Smashing Success



At the punch bowl, the Prom theme, "My Old Kentucky Home," was carried out with Southern hospitality.

Entranced couples eyed the beautiful decorations.

# Southern Brought to

A romantic mood permeated the prom's atmosphere.

Sounds of the New Brass set the pace for the 1968 Prom.

Doug Bullington supervised busy junior girls who were preparing for the prom.

The Southern Plantation swing in the garden delighted resting prom couples.

# Plantation Life at Prom

Dominating the prom scene was a lovely Southern mansion.

While dancers "tripped the light fantastic," the band played on.

Mr. Kenneth A. Johnson directed the harmonious Columbus Senior High Symphonette at the Mid-East Band Festival.

In the afternoon, small groups at the Mid-East Festival performed for a judge who gave them critical comments.

# Mid-East Band Festival Held at Columbus

Mr. Snyder of the University of Nebraska practiced with the Mid-East Band for the evening performance.

Hungry students waited anxiously in line for lunch served in the gymnasium.

An overhead projector helped Mr. H. R. Spencer explain percussion methods.

A brass workshop, led by Mr. John Mills, instructed students in various techniques.

Mr. Dixon presented the Bausch-Lomb Science Award to Debbie Nelson who had the highest science average.

Mary Fulton was recognized with a letter of commendation from the National Merit Society.

Receiving recognition for the highest score on the National Mathematics Test was Frank Higgins.

# Honors Convocation Revealed Awards

Nancy Hefti received an award for the highest over-all-grade average in Home Ec over a three-year period.

TOP TEN PERCENT OF SENIOR CLASS — **BACK ROW:** K. McCamley, L. Stinson, D. Eggli, R. Lohr, J. Ballew, K. George. **MIDDLE ROW:** J. Emel, N. Mohlman, A. Loomis, P. Gersib, M. Stephens, C. Kant, D. Nelson, T. Henke, P. Rafferty, R. Oppliger, N. Gruenhage, D. Ewert, T. Lund, M. Fulton, M. Sommermeyer. **FRONT ROW:** J. Vavricek, L. Gehring, K. Boruch.

Lee Stinson was the first recipient of the dictionaries given by the Chamber of Commerce to students ranking in the top ten percent of the senior class.

All standing, the graduates joined with the audience in singing the "Doxology."

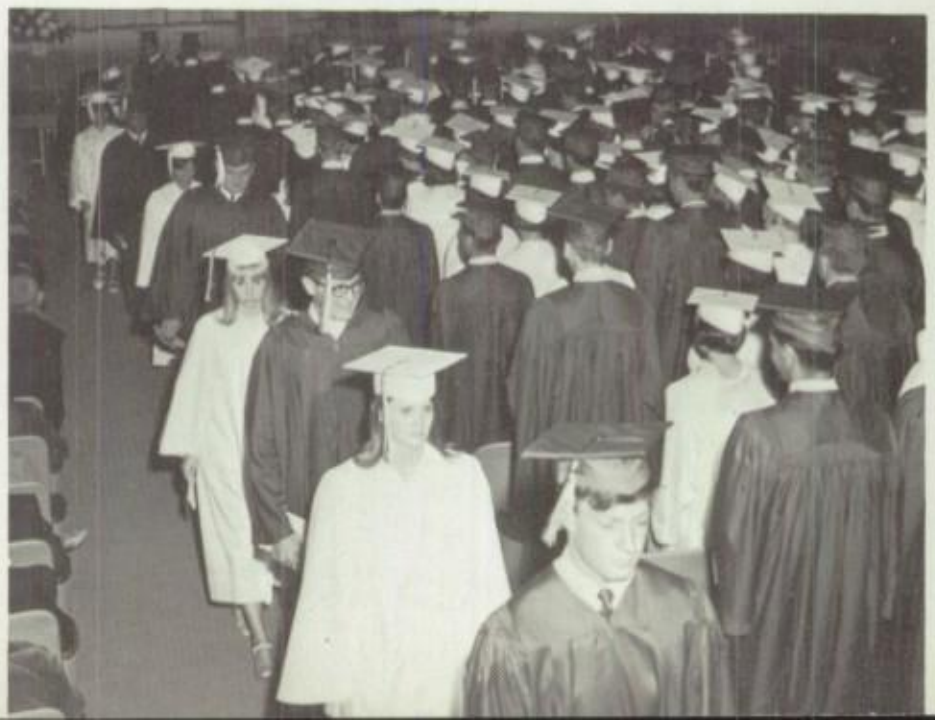
Leading the service was Dr. Lowell Jones, Pastor of the Methodist Church.

# Baccalaureate and Left Seniors With

Rev. Ervin Basler delivered the inspiring Baccalaureate sermon to the departing seniors.

The Senior Double Sextet provided special music with "Where'er You Walk."

At the close of the Baccalaureate service, the seniors recessed to the melody of "Pomp and Circumstance."



One of the two student speakers at Commencement Exercises was Pat Scheel.

Clutching their diplomas, the class of 1968 proudly left the gymnasium.

# Commencement Mixed Feelings

**BACK ROW: West Point Appointment** — Lee Stinson, **B-D Schol.** — John Ballew. **MIDDLE ROW: Robert E. Brooks Schol.** — Bonnie Mihulka, **Alt.** — Rita Oppliger; **Platte Co. Ag. Schol.** — Phyllis Rafferty and Mary Sommermeyer, **B-D Schol.** — Mary Fulton (alt.). **FRONT ROW: B-D Schol. alt.** — Tedi Lund, **Columbus Beauty College Schol.** — Carolyn Berry and Pat Taylor.

STATE SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIPS — **BACK ROW: Kearney State Schol.** — B. Granquist (alt.), **Nebr. Regents Schol. and Doane College Schol.** — D. Eggli, **Doane College Schol.** — L. Stinson, **New Mexico State University Schol.** — J. Ballew. **MIDDLE ROW: Zelda H. Loomis Journalism Award** — P. Scheel, **Kearney State Schol.** — K. George, **College of St. Mary Schol.** — K. Boruch, **Hastings College Schol.** — F. Higgins, **Wayne State Schol.** — S. Ferris, **Kearney State Schol.** — C. Vlasak, **Midland Schol.** — P. Gersib, **Isabelle Micek Freshman Award** — R. Taylor, **Wayne State Schol.** — J. Kummetz, **Nebr. Wesleyan Schol.** — M. Fulton. **FRONT ROW: Nebr. Wesleyan Schol.** — K. McCamley, **Kearney State Schol.** — B. Mihulka (alt.), **Kearney State Schol.** — M. Buchholz.

**IN MEMORY OF**
**JOSEPH POCWIERZ**
Mar. 13, 1950 — May 13, 1968

**IN MEMORY OF**
**ROGER BROWN**
Mar. 19, 1950 — Aug. 21, 1967

**IN MEMORY OF**
**TOM BRIDGMON**
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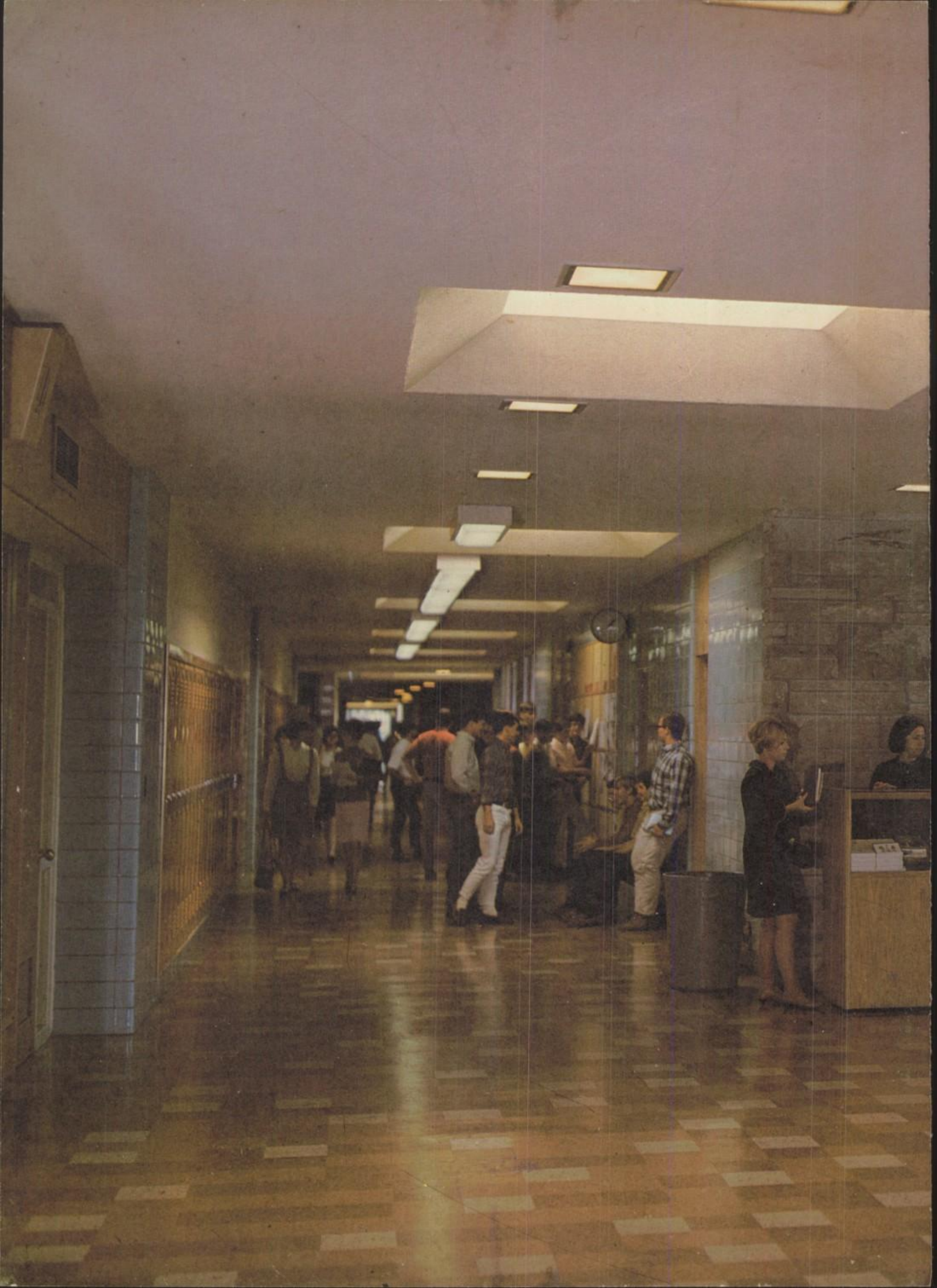
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